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Family Reunion.

Miss Ida Baker, the popular head sales lady of the Emporium left Wednesday for Harrod, Ohio, to attend a reunion of the Baker and Leatherman families to be held at that place on Thursday, August 14. Elaborate preparations have been made and the event will long be remembered in the history of the family. Below is published the program for the day:

MORNING SESSION, 9 A. M.

Invocation, Rev. Wm. R. Guthrie, Herring, O.

Election of Chairman and Secretary.

Welcome Address, J. L. B. Leatherman, Harrod, O.

Response. Rev. Henry M. Baker, North Star, O.

"Reminiscences of the Leatherman Clan," Dr. Byron Clark, A. M., Washington, Pa.

Historical Sketch of the Baker Family, Hon. Michael L. Baker, Lima, O.

Historical Sketch of the Leatherman Family, Rev. Walter H. Leatherman, DeGraff, O.

Acrostic—"Baker—Leatherman," Isaac Jacobs, Carthage, Mo.

Some Traits Posessed by Bakers and Leathermans, J. S. Long, Harrod, O.

Reading of Communications.

Extemporaneous Speaking.

"Baker-Leatherman Reunion Song.

Beneath these stately trees we meet
From many distant lands.
We love related friends to greet
And welcome by the hands.

Chorus:
With our hearts so light and gay
We are meeting here to-day,
Beneath the spreading monarchs of the wood.
Come and join in jolly song,
Swell the chorus right along,
Cultivate the loyal, true and good.
Our fathers in the olden time
Who felled the sturdy oak,
A lesson gave to youthful prime
In every measures stroke.
—Chorus.

Then here is to those sturdy men
Of golden days gone by;
Those women too, each heroine
That made the shuttles fly.
—Chorus.

And may we all their gifts adore
Their courage and their love;
Their truth and purity and worth
To future ages prove.
—Chorus.

DINNER.

AFTERNOON SESSION, 2 P. M.

Prayer, Rev. Walter H. Leatherman.

Adoption of Constitution and Election of Officers.

Recitation, Gertrude Binkley, Lima, Ohio.

Recitation, Mary A. Grubb, Ada, O.

Recitation, Pansy Johnson, Harrod, Ohio.

Declamation, Budd Anspach, Ada, Ohio.

Recitation, Frankie Bacon, Harrod. Ohio.

Recitation, Lily Johnson, Harrod, O.

Declamation, Anthur Dodge, Lima, Ohio.

Recitation, Ruth Grubb, Harrod, O.

Recitation, Blanche Dodge, Bluffton, Ohio.

SUPPER.

NIGHT SESSION, 7:30 P. M.

Prayer, Rev. Geo. L. Custer. Dupont, O.

Poem, written by N. R. Baker, Citronella, Ala.; read by Mina Baker, North Star, O.

Oration, "Missouri," Isaac Jacobs, Carthage, Mo.

Oration, "Optimistic Reflections," B. B. Baker, McPherson, Kan.

"Reflections upon my Pedagogic Career," Aaron Seitz, Walkerton, Ind.

Oration, J. H. Leatherman, River Styx, O.

"Why Young People Should Attend these Reunions," Henry Baker, Baker, Ohio.

Oration, Geo. A. Williams, Rensselaer, Ind.

Oration, B. E. Leatherman, Springfield, Mo.

The Future Reunions of the Association, J. P. Baker, Harrod, O.

Benediction, Rev. Henry M. Baker.

We have 2000 yards of heavy 36 in. sheeting at 5½c per yd. Just the thing for fruit sacks. Jeffrey, Azusa.

Covina Irrigating Company.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the corporation held on Wednesday afternoon at its office on College street.

Present: Chesebro, Worrell, Lahee, Houser, Coolman.

Absent: Kerckhoff, Ruddock, Adams and Hall.

Secretary's report showed a balance in the bank, June 30th, $1193.07,; collections for the month of July, $1441.69 and expenditures for July 1762.64; balance in bank $872.12. The same was adopted and ordered filed.

The Superintendent's report showed the expenses of running San Dimas pumping plant, No. 1, during July to have been $530.25; San Dimas No. 2, $60. 14; Lordsburg pumping plant, $1483.91; freight 47.91; extras $38.27; total $1531.82. The report was adopted and ordered filed.

On behalf of the committee President Chesebro reported that they had been successful in having the assessed valuation of the San Jose lands belonging to the Company reduced 50 per cent, and the Company's reservoir reduced from $14,000 to $10,000.

Bills to the amount of $3601.24 were allowed and ordered paid.

An assessment of $1.00 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable at once to the secretary; delinquent Sept. 9.

The superintendent, J. R. Elliott was granted a vacation of two weeks.

Adjournment.

Association Notes.

The annual meetings of the Covina Citrus Association and Covina Orange Growers' Association, which constitute the Covina Fruit Exchange, were held on Saturday, Aug. 2, at their respective packing houses.

Growers' Association elected the following named officers and directors: R. A. Meredith, president; C. C. Cady, vice-president; L.L. Ratekin, secretary and manager; F. M. Douglass, treasurer; T. E. Finch, foreman; B. L. King, B. F. Garrett, C. J. Coe. The reports showed the business of the year as entirely satisfactory and consequently all present were in good humor.

An unusually large percentage of stock was represented at the annual meeting of the Covina Citrus Association, which was possibly due to a notice sent each stockholder that the question of the division of the property would probably be discussed. This had become necessary by the organization within the members of the Association of two other associations, the Covina Valley Association and the Uplands Association, who will respectively occupy packing houses to the west and east of Covina. The organization of these Associations were deemed wise as it would be impossible to handle a full crop with the present packing house facilities. The entire day was consumed in the discussion of this matter and the election of officers was postponed until an adjourned meeting on Sept. 1.

Below will be found the annual report of the Covina Fruit Exchange showing the total receipts of the Covina Citrus and Covina Orange Growers Associations:

Variety	F. O. B. amt. Rec'd to Aug. 5, 1902.
Navels	$174,909.46
T. Imp. Navels	2,725.76
Seedlings	415.34
Sweets	1,726.27
St. Michaels	146.35
Bloods	1,344.28
Grape Fruit	407.08
Valencias	31,813.47
Lemons	10,233.85
Total	223,511,80

Go to Bell & Ostrander's for your jelly glasses. You can also use them for tumblers.

For Sale: 100 tons of good wheat hay. $7.00 per ton. E. S. Robinson, 1½ miles southwest of Covina. 8-24

Now is the time to increase your egg production and Lee's Egg Maker will surely do it. For sale at F. E. Dudderar's.

For Sale:—"Collins Water Right"—prior right to first two inches water in "Deacon Well" now owned and run by Covina Irrigating Co.

Derius Overholtzer Box 91, Covina.

Covina's New Star.

Tuesday evening witnessed the institution of another secret order in addition to the many successful societies now flourishing in Covina. Dr. J. D. Reed's magnificent new hall lately occupied by the local Masonic fraternity was the scene of the organization of the new La Paloma Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. The ceremonies of the evening were pleasingly and efficiently directed by the Worthy Grand Patron of the order, Charles E. Mitchell, of Long Beach. The beautiful floor work of the ritual was by special invitation exemplified in a most gratifying manner by the officers and members of the Order of Jasmine Chapter from Azusa.

After the work of the evening was over Worthy Grand Patron Mitchell delivered a highly appreciated address upon the benefits and privileges of the order, wishing a hearty God Speed to the newly instituted chapter, and bespeaking for it a useful and helpful career to follow from such an auspicious beginning in a Chapter Room so excellent and in a community possessing so much intelligence and progressiveness. Following this were several short addresses presented by prominent members and officers of the Order.

At a late hour an adjournment was had to the brilliantly lighted and tastefully decorated banquet hall immediately adjoining the Chapter Room where dainty refreshments and merry speeches were freely and bountifully served.

The new Chapter begins with an enrolled membership of fourteen, a majority of whom were recently members of Jasmine Chapter at Azusa. There were not less than thirty-five visitors present participating and promoted the good feeling and pleasure that marked the occasion, and who were desirous of seeing that the new organization which in reality is a child of theirs was started on the highway to success.

The corps of officers which is to have charge of the new Chapter is as follows: Anna Dreher Dudderar, Worthy Matron; Elisha B. Carrier, Worthy Patron; Frances T. Graham, Associate Matron; Martha E. Coltrin, Conductress; Edith Youngs Carrier, Associate Conductress, Franklin E. Dudderar, Secretary; Amador F. Coltrin, Treasurer.

For the present the regular meeting of the Chapter will be held in the Reed Hall on the first Tuesday of each month, special meetings being called as required.

The active interest manifested for the order is indicated by the number of applications for membership which were presented at the meeting last night, there being no less than nine.

Library Notes.

A number of Agricultural Bulletins, issued by the University of California have been received. These phamphlets are of peculiar interest to the rancher, and may be obtained on card, as an ordinary book.

Gifts of money are acknowledged as follows:

Subscriptions, 50c. per month, F. M. Douglass, J. C. Hutchinson, A. M. Seeley.

Subscriptions, 25c. per month, C. E. Bemis, Miss D. Blanchard, F. D. Cartzdafner, F. E. Dudderar, J. Hartborn, Dr. Jennings, Matthews & Clutterbuck, B. L. Reynolds, J. C. Smith, Thomas & Hulce, Manley Thompson, Rev. J. W. Utter, B. S. Webb, J. N. Wilson.

Donations, John Gauldin, $1.00, C. Menefee $1.00.

Stowell-Whittaker.

A quiet wedding took place in Holy Trinity Church on Thursday, July 31st, when Geo. A. Stowell, a popular young rancher of Charter Oak, and Miss Clara Whittaker, were united in marriage by Rev. Alfred Fletcher. The happy young couple are spending their honeymoon at Santa Barbara. Mr. Stowell and his charming bride will upon their return commence house keeping at their pretty ranch home near Charter Oak. The Argus extends to them the heartiest congratulations.

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WE LEAD IN LOW PRICES

Killing Ends Drunken Brawl at Old San Gabriel Mission.

As the outcome of a drunken brawl at the La Palma Clubhouse shortly after midnight Sunday morning Thomas Bayse, a half breed Mexican and French laborer, was shot through the neck and killed by Charles Temple, proprietor of the saloon.

Temple, who belongs to the old Los Angeles family after which Temple Block was named, conducts a grocery and saloon combined at El Monte on the original site of the old San Gabriel Mission. On Saturday night a crowd of Mexican laborers congregated in the bar-room, and proceeded to get drunk. About midnight they became so boisterous that Temple stepped out from behind the bar and warned them that if the noise continued they would have to leave.

Half an hour later there was no let up to the carousing, and Temple, becoming infuriated, took a revolver from behind the bar and ordered everyone in the room to get out, Most of the Mexicans obeyed, but Bayse, drunk and quarrelsome, refused to go and drew a knife. The two men tried to get at each other, but Peter Davis, a Mexican, stepped between them. Temple told him to stand aside, as he was going to shoot Bayse.

Davis, realizing that he was in danger stepped to one side, leaving the two men facing each other. He had no sooner done so than Temple, with revolver leveled, pulled the trigger. Bayse fell forward with a bullet hole through the neck and died a few minutes later, the ball having penetrated the jugular.

Temple closed up his place immediately and gave himself up to the constable of San Gabriel township. Sunday morning he was brought to Los Angeles and placed in the County Jail.

At the inquest held Sunday afternoon the Coroner's jury rendered a verdict of "death from a gunshot wound inflicted with murderous intent."

Shuler for Sheriff.

The Glendora correspondent of the Los Angeles Times writes on last Saturday:

The campaign has begun in earnest here, and plans are being carried forward for the organization of a very strong anti-Gage Club. Glendora will have a Republican candidate for the nomination of Sheriff in E. W. Shuler. He owns a large ranch here and is the the only farmer among the candidates for the office.

Reduced Rates East.

Southern Pacific will sell round trip tickets to St. Paul and Minneapolis Aug. 13th and 14th good to return within sixty days from that date, stop overs allowed west of the Missouri River. From Covina, direct lines $70.40 one way, through Portland and Sound points $93.40.

G. P. Barnett, Agt.

Notice of Co-Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that upon the 2nd day of August, 1902 the undersigned have entered into an agreement of co-partnership to transact a general bicycle and machine business at Covina.

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Pie peaches 3 for 25c at Warner, Whitsel & Co.'s.

Carriage Carpet 75c per yard at Mason's, the harness man.

Try Floods Roup Cure, at F. E. Dudderar's.

Go to Bell & Ostrander's for your jelly glasses. You can also use them for tumblers.

IN FIELD OF HUSBANDRY

TOPICS OF INTEREST TO FARMER AND ORCHARDIST

Blight Killing Pear Trees—Corn Crop Utterly Ruined—Good Outlook for Walnut Crop—Santa Barbara Bean Crop—White Leghorns Good Egg Producers

An inspection of the orange groves at Globe last week shows that there will be about half a crop of oranges this fall in spite of the terrible work of the grasshoppers.

Another big flow of water has been struck on the Dunlap ranch. It is in the vicinity of the Hotel de Yucaipe and close to the South Mountain pipe line.—Redlands Citrograph.

There is no dodging the fact that White Leghorns, not only in California but all over the land, are the leading fowls for the production of eggs. They produce no more but a trifle larger egg than the Brown. The latter is the handsomer fowl.—Cultivator.

The Salinas Journal reports that grain crops in Salinas valley are very much better on land which was planted to beets last year than on stubble lands. A similar showing is reported from the Gilroy and Hollister districts and it is also very noticeable in Pajaro valley.

A careful estimate of crops in Ventura and Santa Barbara counties places the bean crop at from 550,000 to 600,000 sacks, and walnuts about 200 carloads. In the Santa Maria valley there will be 200,000 sacks of barley and 150,000 sacks of oats while Lompoc will have 80,000 sacks of barley and 35,000 sacks of mustard.

A Herald correspondent from Santa Ana says: The outlook for a good walnut crop this season is not extraordinary bright. The general opinion seems to be that the crop will not be as full as that of last year, though the nuts are fully as large or larger. The disease that so often attacks the fruit was delayed until too late to do a great amount of harm by the cold weather. A number of nuts fell, however.

It is reported that the blight which has affected and is killing pear trees all over the valley, and in fact all over the state, is now doing as great damage in some localities to the apple trees as it has to the pear trees. This is said to be the case in the vicinity of the celebrated Blossom orchard, in the foothills east of Visalia. The fruit seems to be attacked first and becomes rotten and decays before the fruit ripens.—Lompoc Leader.

Twenty counties in Mississippi are suffering from the effects of a disastrous drouth, and in over one-half of this number the corn crop has been utterly ruined, while cotton has been damaged from 60 to 75 per cent. In Tallahatchie county forest fires have been raging. [illegible] in the [illegible] Shampoost re- [illegible] port [illegible] Baths 25[illegible] prospects were excellent [illegible] weeks ago there has been great deterioration.

How to Get Good Stock

An unsigned account is given in Dairy and Produce Review by a farmer who worked over his common poultry in this way: "Two years ago I decided to work into a full blood flock, and selected the Silver Laced Wyandottes as the best compromise for both eggs and poultry. I secured some eggs and raised a few chickens. I disposed of all the cocks except the Wyandottes, and kept the hens as before. The Wyandotte hens laid eggs that were easily told from the others, so only Wyandotte eggs were used for setting.

"I have raised a nice lot of chickens and have sold off the mixed stock, so that we have suceeded in raising as many full bloods as are wanted on the farm without being out very much money, and without having to pen the Wyandottes up to keep them separate. There are quite a number of other breeds that may be managed in the same way, and a full blood flock may be obtained with an outlay of only a few dollars for eggs, and occasionally buying a cockerel in order to get new blood. It will not do to keep any half blood pullets, as their eggs will resemble the full bloods; they may hatch chickens much like the pure stock, but they will not do for breeders, as the old blood will crop out sooner or later, and the few will spoil the flock."

There must be hundreds of farmers in Southern California with common hens, who will profit by the experience of the writer above quoted. His plan is certainly simple enough and easy enough for anyone to follow.

Orange and Lemon Rot

The present season has been more than usually favorable to the decay of oranges, especially in early shipments. Every year the loss from the rotting of both oranges and lemons is very considerable. The cause of the rot and the precautions that should be taken to avoid the trouble are very rarely understood by those who handle the fruits; and there can be no doubt that a fuller knowledge of the subject would enable growers and shippers to avoid much of the loss. The present bulletin is prepared in response to requests from numerous growers for information on this subject:

The Cause—The cause of the rot of oranges and lemons is the growth, through their substances of a mould fungus known scientifically under the name of Penicillium digitatum. The growth of the plant within the fruit causes a softening and breaking down of the tissue, a very characteristic change in the flavor of the juice, and sooner or later a very pronounced discoloration of the affected part. The fungus belongs to a genus consisting of a number of well-known species all having much the same manner of growth and producing decays on various substances. The name "blue mold" applies to the whole group. The best-known species is Penicillium crustaceum, or, as it is more commonly called, Penicillium glaucum. This species is one of the common forms of rot-producing fungi that attack deciduous fruits, but it is probably even better known from its attack upon all manner of substances in the household, such as cooked foods, clothing, etc. While Penicillium crustaceum is thus found in a great variety of situations, it appears that Penicillium digitatum attacks only citrus fruits, confining itself wholly to these—Florida Agriculturist.

A General Campaign

The fields and orchards of Southern California are now the scene of a general attack upon the Russian thistle these days wherever that noxious weed has found rooting. This activity is not noticeable in Colorado or Kansas, where this pest is seemingly running free, with no attempt to limit its ravages. I have seen thousands of acres in Colorado lately rankly overrun with thistles, crowding out alfalfa, making more difficult the cultivation of corn, sugar beets and even orchards, piling up against fences and having drifted all over the country. The farmers of Southern California have not yet given up, defeated upon the proposition of stamping out this virulent weed, nor will they till every effort has been made to destroy the pest.

The Russian thistle has been found in only one locality in Los Angeles county this season, namely Baldwin's ranch, in the neighborhood of Puente. This is encouraging. But only through eternal vigilance can we hope to prevent a repetition in the south of the experiences with this weed almost everywhere in the semi-arid states. Every farmer should give the extermination of the pest his undivided attention if his lands bear it or those of his neighbors. With 10,000 acres again cleaned of the thistle this section should be in a fair way toward complete control.—Times.

Superb California Cheese

Henry F. Lyon, of Alameda, informs the San Francisco Dairy and Produce Review that during a recent business trip through the counties along the coast south of San Francisco he visited the large dairy on the Tesquesquite ranch, near Gilroy, and says that "all the cheese this factory turns out is made on the cheddar plan and is not hurried off to market in the shape of uncurred, indigestible masses of curd as is the custom with California cheese makers generally. Instead, it is allowed to thoroughly cure before being shipped. Some that is about ready to market that I had the privilege to sample, showed as fine a quality as any New York or Wisconsin cheese it has ever been my fortune to taste. Does it pay to take the extra [illegible] forms me that they cannot make enough to supply the demand at prices at 2 to 3 cents above the San Francisco market. Let our cheese makers figure out what that amounts to on the daily output of their factory."

He is quite right in saying that readers will be "interested in the fact that at least in one cheese factory they are turning out a quality of cheese that will fully compare with the eastern goods, which we have to buy when we want to eat good cheese."

Found Irrigation Profitable

Irrigation is making its way northward in California, and when once introduced and well managed is never abandoned. In a speech at San Jose before the Santa Clara Farmers' institute Professor C. W. Childs said:

"Eight or nine years ago I examined the rivers of Santa Clara county and induced my neighbors to assist me in bringing water down from the hills near Almaden. People were slow to come in, but we got our company organized, and in four years our ditch was finished. We find that it costs about one-tenth as much to irrigate from the ditch as from the wells, and from the ditch there is the great advantage derived from the sediment. As to the practical results of irrigation: When the last dividend was declared by the California Cured Fruit association I received about three times as much money from a given acreage than my neighbor, who did not irrigate, the difference being in my favor both in size and weight.

WAS A FRIGHTFUL DEATH

Workman Grasps Two Electric Wires and is Roasted to a Crisp

Harry Grum, a laborer, of Butte, Mont., met a frightful death while engaged in moving a barn Friday afternoon. Grum was on the ridge of the barn and grasped two wires that were in the way, with the intention of removing them, receiving a shock of 2000 volts, which continued to flow through his body for four minutes. The upper portion of Grum's body was almost roasted to a crisp, and when the remains were lowered it was necessary to quench his burning clothes with water.

A special to the Butte Miner from Missoula says that Eugene C. Ketcham, night electrician at the Bonner electric power plant, was electrocuted some time last Friday night. His body was found lying by a dynamo. From the nature of the burns it is believed Ketcham fell against the dynamo.

Train Passed Them By

Sunday night the Great Northern eastbound Overland train was set upon by a gang near Edmunds Wash., presumably for the purpose of holding it up. Several volleys were fired from the darkness, crashing through the windows of a Pullman sleeper and a dining car. A cook received a slight flesh wound in the forehead. The train was not stopped.

A WAY TO SETTLE IT

THE FRIARS MAY LEAVE IN SMALL NUMBERS

Decision Against Saloon-Keepers—Trouble in West Africa—Several Persons Injured—Accident in New York Tunnel—Baseball Player Goes Insane—Epidemic of Cholera

Several persons were injured in a fire in Chicago that damaged the new warehouse of the McCormick Harvesting Machine Company at Blue Island and Western avenues to the extent of $75,000.

Considerable anxiety is felt in diplomatic circles at Constantinople, over the increasing unrest in Macedonia and Albania as a result of renewed activity of the revolutionary committees.

The explosion of a gasoline engine at the mines of Jacob Shiro, an individual operator at Short Mountain, Pa., wrecked the power-house and destroyed the breaker and storage house and adjoining buildings.

Phil Riccius, once a professional baseball player, has been committed to the insane asylum at Lakeland, Ky. His condition is attributed to an injury received while playing with the Spokane team in the early nineties.

The epidemic of cholera in Cairo, Egypt, is increasing. There were forty-one new cases and thirty-five deaths Tuesday. At Moucha there were twenty-two new cases and fourteen deaths. The disease has made its appearance at Zizeh.

According to a decision of the United States Court of Appeals, a saloon-keeper may be held responsible for the death of a patron of his place in the event that death occurs from an accident resulting from the inebriated condition of the patron.

Reports from Portuguese West Africa, where there have been rumors of troubles with the natives, show that the disorders are assuming a grave character. In the province of Loanda several garrisons were attacked and factories burned. A general uprising is feared.

As the result of a premature blast in the Rapid Transit subway on Park avenue at Forty-first street, New York, four men were seriously hurt, two of whom it is thought will die. This is the unlucky section of the tunnel, in which a number of accidents have occurred.

Don Martinez, a Mexican sheep-herder, was shot and killed near Copperton, Wyo., by M. A. Step, a miner, better known as "California Roy." Another herder was also shot at, but escaped injury. Step went to Battle and gave himself up. He claims that the shooting was in self-defense.

A Way to Settle It

According to statements obtained from reliable sources it is the intention of the vatican that the friars of the Augustinian, Dominican, Franciscan and Recolieto orders now in Manila, who number about 450 men, should leave there in small numbers at different times, so that when the moment comes to resume negotiations between Governor Taft and the apostolic delegates all the friars will have left the archipelago in such a way that the friar question will have resolved itself without the necessity of further discussion.

The foregoing plan is interpreted as a late but significant recognition by the vatican that Secretary Root's first proposition, made to the vatican through Governor Taft, was the most liberal that could be devised for the settlement of the question.

The great influence of the religious orders in Rome must be reckoned with, however, should they think it to be to their interest to resist the measures. From present indications this would seem not to be so, as the general of the Augustinians will soon leave for the United States to choose American Augustinians to replace the Spanish members of that order now in Manila.

Los Angeles News Notes

The air-brake cylinder on Alhambra car No. ninety-eight blew up at First and Spring streets early Friday evening with a roar that rattled the nearby windows and could be heard several blocks away. No one was injured.

Ah Joh, a Chinaman, was hit by an automobile Sunday afternoon about 3:30 on Main street. He was not seriously injured, and after treatment at the receiving hospital he was discharged.

A few minutes after 8 o'clock Sunday night Santa Fe engine No. 3, drawing three empty coaches, southbound, ran into engine 0213, standing on Coombs' siding, half a mile south of Redondo junction. The oil-fuel tank of engine 0213 blew up instantly, with a flash of flame that was seen for a radius of five miles. One man was burned to death by flaming oil. Another died later of his injuries. Seven men were injured.

The Olive street school will at last be protected from the caving earth, by stone and cement walls. The board of education met in special session Friday afternoon, and decided to reconsider the vote of the last meeting, when the offer of the Fremont hotel company, to construct the north wall for $3000, was rejected. The contract was then awarded by the unanimous vote of the members present to the hotel company, with a bond of sixty-five per cent of the contract price. The board also decided to advertise for bids for the construction of the west wall, and both contracts must be completed in accordance with the specifications furnished by the city engineer.

His Head Shown as a Warning

Ching Ting Ping, the leader of the recent insurrection in the southern part of Chi Li province, who was erroneously reported to have been killed in an engagement with government troops last May, has been captured in Honan province and executed. His head has been exhibited at the scenes of his exploits as a warning.

A Volcano in the Philippines

A party of soldiers has succeeded in ascending the volcano of Mayon, in the Philippines, which is active. It took the party twenty hours to reach the crater. This was the second ascent of this volcano ever made.

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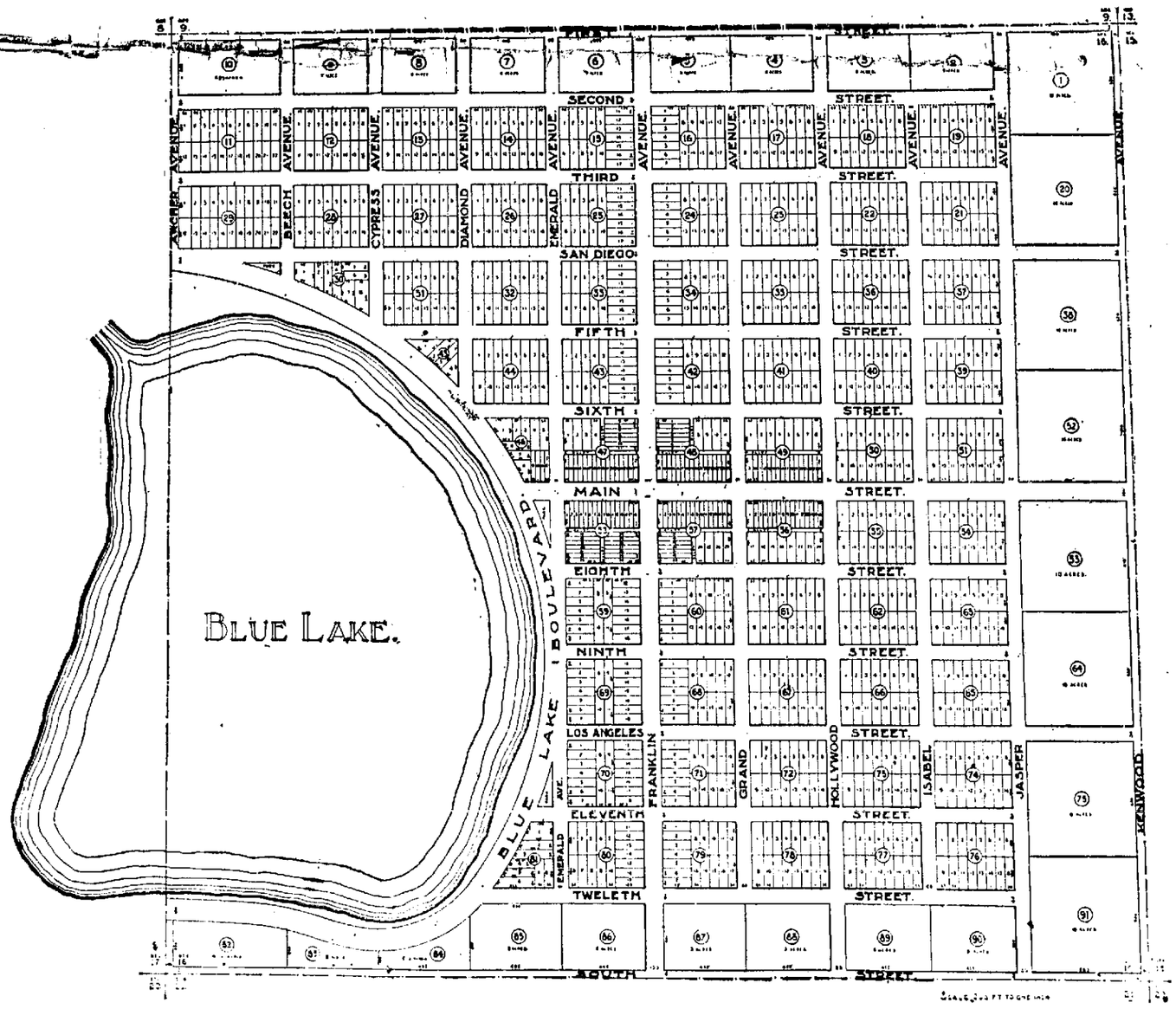

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Miss Prim (severely)—Married women, above all others have no business to flirt.

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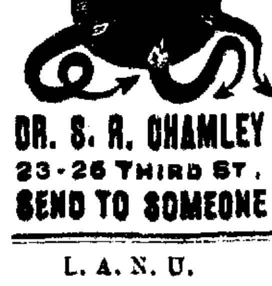

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Topics of the Times

About 4,475,000 persons are employed in the world's mines.

Kamchatka has many volcanoes, the only ones in Russian territory that are still active.

The world's steel output for a year would build a steel well five feet thick, twenty feet high and 100 miles long.

Butte, Mont., is famed through the Northwest from the fact that it has but a single tree. More are to be set out and cultivated.

The amplitude of vibration of the diaphragm of the telephone receiver in reproducing speech is about the one twenty-millionth of an inch.

Sue Brette—The lads in the top gallery are the best judges of a play, after all. Foot Light—Then you are a believer in the higher criticism?

Only one member of President McKinley's original Cabinet, as formed in March, 1897, now remains—James W. Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture.

The members of the Massachusetts House of Representatives of 1871 and 1872 held a reunion recently in Boston. Of the 1871 House, 94 are still living, of the 1872 House, 81. Twenty-five of the living members of the Legislatures of 1871 and 1872 are more than seventy-five years of age.

The height of Mount Etna, the famous volcano of Sicily, has long been fixed at 10,866 feet. Its height has recently been more accurately measured by trigonometrical processes and the exact elevation is found to be 10,755 feet. The main crater has a width of 1,728 feet and a depth of 826 feet.

A force of Italian laborers was working in New York, engaged in carrying a large steel rail. Six o'clock is quitting time for the men, and so anxious were they not to work overtime that they dropped the rail when they heard the whistle blow. It fell on the foot of the Irish foreman of the gang, whose cries brought an ambulance.

A young clergyman, just ordained, was invited to address the Sunday school pupils of a church where he was a visitor, and, facing the expectant youngsters, began with the question: "Well, children, what shall I talk to you about?" His uncertainty was not lessened by the reply that came from one bright-faced boy, "What do you know?"

A curious custom obtains among the peasantry of the Isle of Man. The Sunday following the funeral of a relative is called "mourning Sunday," and as many of the dead person's relatives as are available meet together and go to church. Throughout the entire services they remain seated, and do not enter at all into any outward participation in the worship.

At Egg Rook, Lynn, England, a bell was hung fifty feet below a buoy moored in fifteen fathoms of water, and the bell was struck by electricity from the Egg Rook light station power house. A person on a ship hears the signal by placing a rod in contact with the hull of the ship, and the first experiments show that the signals can thus be heard ot a distance of five miles or more.

The accumulation of books and newspapers even in comparatively small libraries is enormous. A library like the British Museum or the Library of Congress must by its very constitution, seek to be complete and completeness in a city library involves excessive rent charges for storage. For large libraries, as for small, the pressing question is what not to buy, but what not to preserve.

One of the most remarkable women in Great Britain resides at Swansea. Miss Dillwyn has written successful novels, acted as a reviewer, carried out the duties of farm bailiff, and is now the partner in a flourishing spelter business. She walks three miles to business every morning, and remains at her office daily from 9 in the morning till 5 in the evening. She is a member of the School Board and chairwoman of the Hospital Committee.

General Sir William Olpherts, K. C. B., V. C., whose death in London is announced, earned the nickname "Hell-fire Dick" and his Victoria Cross by a daring deed at Lucknow. A gun badly needed in action had threatened to burst, and the servers were afraid to fire another shell. Olpherts, then a captain, leaped astride the smoking gun and cried: "Arrah, ye divils! Will ye fire now?" Encouraged by their leader's confidence, the gunners fired, and Captain Olpherts descended a hero.

A London physician of large practice asserts that owing to his extremely sensitive sense of smell, he can foretell the coming of death forty-eight hours. He says that when a patient comes within two days of death a peculiar, earthy smell is emitted from the body. When the fatal disease is slow in its progress the odor makes it appearance as much as three days beforehand; but when the disease is of the galloping kind, the doctor says he receives a much shorter warning. He attributes the smell to mortification, which begins within the body before life is extinct. Dogs are thought to also have this sense, for hunting hounds have been observed to begin a mournful baying a day or two before their masters died.

The thoroughness with which a great railroad system is conducted was shown recently when the name of a town not far away was changed at the request of the inhabitants. It was to be called by its new title after a certain date. When one of the trains from the city passed that station half past 11 on the day that the change was to take place, the conductor called out the name by which it had been known for years. But when the train that passed the place at five minutes past 12 reached the town, it had gone out of existence so far as its old name was concerned. The conductor in charge of the train called out its new name, although there was as yet no sign or designation anywhere of its new title.—New York Sun.

BIG GAME IN MEXICO.

Mountain Lions, Antelopes, Wild Dogs, Wild Boars and Burros.

A civil engineer recently returned from the hacienda of Jimulco, in Coahuila, an immense property containing over 2,000 square kilometers, tells some stirring tales of shooting wild game. Antelopes abound, but great care is necessary in approaching these wily creatures, owing to their habit of always placing one or two on guard while the rest of the herd is feeding. The sentinels, faithful to their duty, remain with head erect, peering and sniffing to the four points of the compass and give a swift alarm the moment an enemy appears in sight.

Not long since a party of young men were hunting the javali, or wild hog, and, coming up with a number, one of the hunters succeeded in killing one and dismounted to secure it. As he approached his prey a dozen or more javali that were hiding in the tall grass attacked him ferociously, and one fastened his tusks in the hunter's heel, hanging on like grim death. The others came to their companion's assistance and the brute was killed, but the tusks were sunk so deep into the heel that the hog's jaws had to be pried apart with a gun barrel before the man was freed. Strange as it may seem, the wound closed quickly and with no serious results.

On this same hacienda are both wild dogs and wild burros, the latter being remarkably swift and hard to take. The dogs are said to be large and very savage, with ugly countenances and extremely long, coarse hair. Some time ago a pup was caught and tamed, developing into a fine watchdog, but though every effort was made to secure a mate for him it has not been possible.

It is not generally realized that mountain lions of Mexico will attack a man, but several recent encounters show them to be as dangerous for men as for beasts. One of the mozos in a recent hunting party had but one hand, the stump of his left arm bearing witness to a terrible struggle with a lion he had shot and then approached, thinking the brute was dead. A man who has hunted in the State of Sonora tells of a certain spring where two men have been killed by lions while camping there for the night. The brutes follow a man for miles, like the panther, lured on by the human scent and hopes of finding an opportunity to spring on the traveler. A mountain lion was recently killed in Michoacan that measured three meters from tip to tip, says the Mexican Herald.

Mexico possesses many intrepid hunters, especially among military men, but their deeds of prowess are rarely related, this being rather foreign to the Mexican character, which does not lend itself to anything approaching boastfulness. The writer knows of an ardent sportsman, a general, who had one room entirely adorned with firearms and furnished with trophies of the chase. The furniture was covered with skins, the feet of the chairs being of deers' horns. The arms, dating from the conquest to the present time, were valued at over $20,000. So far did this general carry his fad for shooting implements that he had a cigarette case made in the shape of a pistol, and in offering his guests "cigarros" pulled a real trigger and shot the tobacco missiles in their direction.

A Gander's Friend.

A strange friendship between a gander and a bloodhound is recorded by a Cincinnati paper. On a farm near Kenton, Ohio, there was a large flock of geese, and among them, but not of them, was a solemn-looking gander who "flocked by himself," having been cut off from his kind for some unknown reason.

Being lonesome, the bird made overtures to Caesar, the big watch-dog on the premises. The dog, a fierce bloodhound, promptly repulsed the gander's advances. He rushed out of his kennel as far as his chain would permit, and pounced on the bird as if he would tear him to pieces. The gander escaped with the loss of a few feathers, but as soon as Caesar became quiet he again took his stand near the kennel.

After several unsuccessful attempts to drive the bird away, Caesar seemed to understand the situation, and from that time on accepted the friendship that had thus been offered to him. The gander's devotion to the dog was really remarkable. He would stand guard for an hour at a time while Caesar slept, now and then with his bill scratching the dog's head or his back, as if caressing him. And Caesar seemed delighted to have him do it.

If he wandered off occasionally after grass, Caesar would begin barking, when back would rush the gander, with outspread wings, cackling and squawking as he came. This strange friendship lasted without interruption for three months, when the dog was accidentally killed. Then the gander became so grief-stricken and forlorn that he had to be taken to a farm some distance away, there to forget his loss amid new scenes.

In Politics.

"He was too dignified to join in a scramble for office."

"And what has he now?"

"Nothing but his dignity."—Brooklyn Eagle.

CATTLE DEALERS, FARMERS AND STOCKMEN

Should Co-Operate With the Butchers' Board of Trade of San Francisco to Fight the Meat Trust.

Alive to the dangers of the situation which present themselves, now that the Eastern beef trust has designs upon the markets on the Pacific Coast, the San Francisco Butchers' Board of Trade adopt resolutions to aid the trade by refusing to buy any of the meats which, after the inauguration of business by the trust here, will be shipped across the continent by the carload.

The members of the Buthers' Board of Trade, numbering about 900, have begun their fight against the trust. Several years ago when the trust sent refrigerated meat from the East the butchers did not appeal to the people in vain. Every attempt to undersell meat dealers was frustrated, the residents preferring to pay from 2 to 5 cents a pound more for California beef than for the Eastern article. The fight was waged bitterly for a long period, with the result that refrigerated meat such as the trust managers sought to sell at unusually low figures was withdrawn from the trade, and local dealers were privileged to conduct their business without opposition from the great monopoly. But recently the vast plant of the Western Meat Company at Baden, which is owned by the Swift and Armour interests, the head and front of the trust has become active.

Secrecy is Ominous.

The secrecy with which the agents of the Beef Trust are working is deemed by dealers and packers to be ominous. They realize that the successful termination of the negotiations now pending for the acquisition of the larger packing concerns and livestock interests of California by the larger raisers would place the monopoly in control of the market and practically wipe out the business of hundreds of meat dealers who are now carrying on a profitable trade.

Captain John H. McMenomy, president of the Butchers' Board of Trade of San Francisco, in discussing the situation yesterday, said:

"I have known for some time past that the trust was operating with a view toward securing control of the local market. All dealers know by experience that if the trust secures control they are out of it. That is to say, none of them will be allowed to do business except as agents for the monopoly, handling trust beef and paying such prices as the combine may demand. It would be a public calamity for the trust to get control here, and the organization I represent will fight it tooth and nail. We will win if we have the support of the public and press.

Effect of Trust Rule.

"If the designs of the trust as regards this market are successfully carried out, every raiser of stock will be at its mercy. Farmers will be forced to ship their stock to this market and [illegible] is willing to pay for it. The farmer will be forced to sell at the prices offered or suffer his stock to die of old age on his hands. This is the case in the East, where the trust is all-powerful, the result being that stock is sold by farmers for what it will bring, while the trust sells it in the form of beef at a stated price, greatly at variance with the price paid the raiser. Owing to the high prices demanded the consumption of meat decreased materially and beef slaughtered for the trade was canned. In this way hundreds of thousands of cattle were needlessly slaughtered and the meat is now being shipped abroad in cans."

The Trust will try to win and money is no object. Therefore, it behooves all farmers and stockmen to take notice of the actions of the Butchers' Board of Trade of San Francisco, and stockmen and others should not favor the Trust as against—themselves.

Wanted to Watch Them.

The czar of all the Russias has never felt safe or at home among his subjects. To show the feeling of insecurity which was entertained by the Emperor Nicholas I., Bismarck used to tell the following story, which is one of Poschinger's collected "Conversations With Prince Bismarck:"

The court physician had prescribed massage for some ailment of the czar, who, however, was unable to find a single person in his household to whom he cared to intrust the task. At his wits' end, he at last applied to Frederick William IV. for a few non-commissioned officers of the Prussian guard. These were sent, and after the completion of the rubbing cure returned to Berlin heavily laden with presents.

"So long as I can look my Russians in the face," said Nicholas, "all is well; but I will not risk letting them work away at my back."

Coughing

"I was given up to die with quick consumption. I then began to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I improved at once, and am now in perfect health."—Chas. E. Hartman, Gibbstown, N. Y.

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THE ORINOCO.

Little Known, but One of the Greatest Rivers in the World.

One of the greatest rivers of the world, the Orinoco, is also one of the least known to Europeans. Its sister, the Amazon, has often been described by Wallace and Bates among others, but Humboldt remains practically the only writer of standing upon the great stream which, rising on the frontiers of Brazil, runs for 2,000 miles through Venezuela, receiving in its course such immense tributaries as the Mera and Apure, and discharging itself by a hundred mouths into the south Atlantic opposite the British island of Trinidad.

The principal entrance, and the only one available for sailing vessels, is the Boca Grande, to the south, into which flow, among other tributaries, the Aratura and the Amacura, the latter also coinciding in its course with the Schomburgk boundary line between British Guiana and Venezuela. But most of the traffic of the Orinoco passes through Trinidad, where passengers and goods are transferred to steamers almost flat-bottomed, and reach the Orinoco by the mouth known as Macarao, the open sea being avoided. It was by that route that the writer started in the Apure, chartered for the occasion, for a trip of 500 miles up the great river, forming probably the first, and certainly the largest, party of tourists which had ever ascended it.

Six hours after leaving Port of Spain the entrance of the Macarao was reached, and for fourteen hours we navigated a deep channel, perhaps half a mile wide, whose attractions surprised those who had read of the delta of the Orinoco as a dismal swamp, thousands of square miles in extent, tenanted only by a few wild Indians, who built their houses in among the trees, by wild beasts and by birds. The description is true, though the impression left is not quite correct. Well nigh impenetrable forests and undergrowth hid ground which is for the most part ooze, covered for half the year by water. The Guaraoan Indians, many of whom paddled out to meet the steamer and beg, in canoes roughly hollowed from the trunk of a tree, and who dispute supremacy of these wilds with jaguars and alligators, are extremely low specimens of humanity, though attachment to their dogs, large, rough-haired and excelent hunters, should be mentioned to their credit.

But the passer-by sees none of the horrors of this great swamp. They are concealed by magnificent trees growing to the water's edge, whose branches may sometimes be touched from the steamer when she is steered close to the shore in order to avoid the current. Sometimes that spelndid parasite, the matapalo, has wrapped in its deadly folds several adjacent trees, and, these perishing, it stands alone, showing walls of green and [illegible] the tops of the tallest trees other parasites fling masses of blossom. A flock of flamingoes makes a brilliant scarlet patch here and there; the sun flashes from parrots of many sizes and various hues; snow-white cranes gaze stolidly from the banks; macaws, green and yellow, or deep crimson on head and breast, fly heavily past, and smaller birds of every color of the rainbow scream or chatter or sing among the trees.—Caracas (Venezuela) Herald.

A Crime to Frighten Children.

People who have the care of little children vary in opinion as to the best means of punishing them, for even the best of little people need correction at times. The mother is without doubt the person to whom this duty belongs, and it is her paramount duty to see that it is never deputed to any one who will frighten the child. Nurses who are properly enough forbidden to administer corporal punishment are very apt to fall back on some such methods if not carefully warned against them and due supervision exercised to see that these admonitions are not neglected. It is true, perhaps, that the imaginary person who was supposed to be always coming after naughty children—the bogeyman, in fact, of our own childish days—is a being of the past. But he has many relations closely resembling him, and on so important a matter mothers ought to be watchful.

If a child is constitutionally nervous it is no use to think that it can be made different by force. Argument, too, in many cases, only intensifies the terrors which children often feel if left alone in the dark, and gives definite expression to fears which are purely imaginary. Many people argue that a child who is afraid to be left alone or to go into a dark room ought to be made to do either of these things in order to find out that no harm will come to him. Now, children are seldom really afraid unless they have been made so, and it is a curious fact that the most timid child shrinks from disclosing his fears to any one. In such a case some one has certainly warned him that worse things will happen if he dares to disclose the reason of his alarm. Very often it is the simplest thing which has been made to appear so terrible under certain conditions.—Queen of Fashion.

Relieve the Monotony.

Fifty-five thousand packages of vegetables and flower seeds are being sent to the British troops in the South African blockhouses by an English firm of florists to enable them to relieve the monotony of their existence.

Between Married Men.

"Where did the expression, 'To look out for No. 1' originate?"

"I suppose some bachelor said it."—Detroit Free Press.

Idolize a woman if you will, but don't try to understand her.

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An Animal's Memorial Stone.

In the center of a field at Waverhill, Suffolk, England, is a large flat stone covering the grave of a mare that died in 1852, inscribed as follows: "Poka. She never made a false step. Ecclesiastes iii. 19." A reference to chapter and verse shows the following: "For that which befalleth the sons of men befalleth beasts, even one thing befalleth them; as the one dieth, so dieth the other." This is probably the only instance of a text from the Scriptures appearing on a memorial stone to an animal.

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Speaking of Royalty.

Damocles had been invited to dine with the [illegible] ing his seat he instantly saw the sword hanging by a hair above his head.

"I suppose," he said to the king, "you call that the hair apparent." Dionysius, pretending to see no humor in the remark, replied, "I don't know about that, my boy, but if it falls upon your head it will make some crown prints."

This shows that the ancients were not averse to joking even under trying circumstances.—New York Times.

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COVINA, August 9.

All For Chapman.

It is unnecessary for the Argus to ask the support of the County delegates from Covina for Chapman, the local candidate for County Assessor, for there is not a man in the entire precinct who will not work loyally for his interests. Mr. Chapman should be, and undoubtedly is, proud of the confidence and esteem in which he is held in this community, and this will unquestionably carry a big weight among the delegates to the forthcoming county convention. No candidate in the county is receiving from his home constituents a more loyal and enthusiastic support than Mr. Chapman. Covina is for him first, last and all the time.

Be at the Caucus.

For the third and last time the ARGUS appeals to all Republican voters to be at the caucus tonight to select delegates to the County Convention.

City precinct will hold their caucus in Independence Hall at 8 p. m.

The Republicans of Covina Country precinct will hold their caucus in the barn of J. O. Houser on the San Bernardino Road at the same hour.

The nominees of these caucuses will be voted upon at the primaries to be held on the following Tuesday between the hours of 12 and 7 p. m. at the same place.

The delegates so elected will meet in Assembly District Convention in Coolman's hall, Covina on Thursday, August 14, to select 11 delegates to represent this district in both the Congressional and State Conventions.

The Congressional Convention will convene in Pasadena Saturday, August 16.

The County Convention will convene in Los Angeles, Tuesday Aug. 19.

The State Convention will convene in Sacramento, Monday, August 25.

In the Covina precincts the Democrats will hold their primaries on the same date and at the same places as the Republicans.

In this issue appears the political announcement of John N. Hunt, candidate for County Tax Collector. Mr. Hunt has had long experience in the office being cashier for four years during the administration of Mr. Merwin, and chief deputy during the term of the present incumbent. Prior to this time he was cashier in the Southern California Savings Bank. In the business world Mr. Hunt has an enviable reputation and socially he is every inch a gentleman. He will come before the convention with strong support.

The Downey Champion celebrated its fourteenth birthday by almost doubling its previous size. Editor Eberle is undoubtedly securing well merited support.

Figures Show Advance in Wealth in Los Angeles County.

County Assessor Caldwell sent his state report to the authorities at Sacramento last week, showing the total valuation and number of bits of personal property in the county.

Total number of fruit trees in the county is 2,186,675, of which 1,474,686 are bearing and 711,999 non-bearing. Orange trees number 1,015,274, more than half of which are bearing. Lemons, 206,879, all except 26,462 of which are bearing; walnuts, 1,904,181, of which an even 100,000 are bearing; olives, 226,008. Only the bearing fruit trees of the county are taxable. These figures are considerably in advance of last year's.

Railroad values have increased materially since the last assessment roll was made up. For those lines which begin and end inside the county limits, the total this year is $1,499,700; last year it was close to $1,114,000. The Southern Pacific holdings have grown from $692,305 to $784,770; the Southern California railway from $104,060 to $170,200; the Salt Lake from $318,365 to $544,730. The total assessed valuation of the trolley railway systems within Los Angeles is set down at $2,278,100.

Mr. Caldwell is of the opinion that the large increase in valuations throughout the county will materially lessen the county tax rate.

Perhaps no one in Southern California has a more thorough knowledge of the numerous characteristics of the various varieties of the orange than Editor Scipio Criag of Redlands, and yet our friend Scipio in the issue of his valuable paper, the Citrograph, of July 26, embellishes his front page with a beautiful engraving of an orange tree which he calls a navel. As a matter of fact the was photographed especially for the Covina Argus in 1898. The tree was a magnificent specimen grown in the orchard of A. M. Seeley, whose grove is located on Cypress Avenue, Covina, and at the time it was photographed was carrying 23 packed boxes of fruit. The lady to the left of the picture is Mrs. Seeley.

California is likely to have the pleasure of hearing some great Republican orators in the state campaign this fall. Congressman Littlefield of Maine has promised to come out after the Maine election is over in September and he is a worthy successor to Reed and Boutelle of that state, who in former years spoke for the cause of Republicanism in California. Secretary Shaw is also expected to make a few speeches in the state, and is sure to draw immense audiences. Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, probably the finest orator in the Senate, is to spend the summer in California, and will make two or three speeches before returning.

For beautiful lawns go to Alborn & Fallis.

Persian Angora kittens for sale cheap. Inquire of Mrs. J. P. Preston, Covina.

For Sale: 1080 inches water in the San Dimas Irrigating Co.
J. Smeltzer, Charter Oak.

Jacob Maechtlen is building a substantial addition to his barn on his beautiful grove on the high lands to the south-east of Covina.

Ground Bone, Crushed Shell, Millet Seed, Wheat, Blood and Bone, Meal and all kinds of Chicken Feed at Matthews & Clutterbuck's.

George Smith and family, late of Kansas, moved Monday into their recently acquired home on Citrus avenue, formerly the residence of T. E. Finch.

T. E. Finch and family have moved into their handsome new home on W. College street. It is one of the prettiest residences in the valley. The builder was our local contractor, C. Allison.

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We are getting in new goods nearly every day and we will be pleased to have you call in and look them over and compare prices and if we don't sell as low as the lowest we won't get hot if you do not buy.

Men's Furnishing Bargains

French Balbriggan Underwear, 75c grade.....42c

All our fancy shirts at big reduction in prices.

All straw and crash hats at what they cost us.

Bargains in Ladies' Goods

Percales now 8 and 10c, were up to 15c.

All wash goods at bargain prices Large lot of 7c calicos at 5c

Some Shoe Bargains

Men's work shoes 99c to $1.22.

Womans shoes, good ones at $1.30

And lots of more bargains in men, women and childrens shoes.

We are closing out our crockery at less than it can be bough for today so come in and get yourself a supply when you can buy them as cheap as you can now before the assortment is gone.

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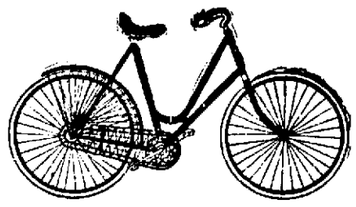

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Natives of Wisconsin, Attention!

The Wisconsin Annual Picnic for 1902 will be held in the wharf pavilion at Long Beach on Saturday, Sept. 6th the old soldiers' encampment being also in session there from Sept. 2nd to 12th.

For the promotion of fun, sentiment and social pleasantry, over a dozen prizes will be given to winners, (men, women and children) Hon. I. Kanouse being chairman of the awarding committee, and master of ceremonies. Old time singing, five minute talks, etc.

For further information see our royal old Wisconsin friend L. D. Woodworth, Sr.

Bids Wanted for Clearing Land.

Bids will be received up to noon of Friday, August 15, for the clearing of 10, 20 or 30 acres of land ready to plow, located on Gladstone avenue, east of Glendora avenue. For full particulars apply to A. E. Davis at residence, or address Glendora postoffice.

Change of Time.

Special attention is called to the change in time on the Santa Fe noon train to Los Angeles, which now leaves Azusa at 12:25 p. m. instead of 12:45.

Beach Rates Now On.

The Southern Pacific is now selling round trip tickets to the beaches at $1.20. Tickets sold Saturday afternoon are good for return until Monday evening.

Carriage Carpet 75c per yard at Mason's.

Buy a gasolene stove at the corner hardware. B. S. Webb.

Clearance sale of lawns at Alborn & Fallis's.

Your drinking water should receive your earnest attention during the warm weather. Use "Liviti" and you are absolutely safe from poisoning. It does not cost you much more than hydrant water to begin with and may save you great expense.
Warner, Whitsel & Co.

Candidates Announcements

FOR ASSEMBLY

W. A. JOHNSTONE, of San Dimas announces his candidacy for Assemblyman of the 68th Assembly District, subject to decision of Republican county convention.

CONSTABLE

GEO. W. VAN VLEIT announces himself as a candidate for Constable of Rowland Township, subject to decision of Republican township convention.

TAX COLLECTOR

W. O. WELCH is a candidate for County Tax Collector, subject to decision of Republican county convention.

JOHN N. HUNT is a candidate for County Tax Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

SHERIFF

J. A. WHITE is a candidate for Sheriff, subject to decision of Republican county convention.

FOR RECORDER.

FRANKLIN P. FROST is a candidate for County Recorder, subject to decision of Republican convention.

FOR ASSESSOR

F. M. CHAPMAN announces himself as a candidate for Assessor of Los Angeles County, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

BEN E. WARD is a candidate for County Assessor. Republican, nominate him. Why not?

SUPERVISOR

FRANK P. BOYNTON is a candidate for County Supervisor, 1st District, subject to decision of Republican convention.

O. W. LONGDON (Incumbent) announces himself as a candidate for Supervisor, First District, subject to decision of Republican county convention.

CHARLES L. NORTHCRAFT is a candidate for the office of Supervisor, 1st District, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

JOHN E. WRIGHT is a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

J. H. STRINE (Incumbent) announces himself as a candidate for County School Superintendent, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

C. F. PARKER is a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Rowland Tp., subject to the will of the Republican convention.

AUDITOR

T. E. NICHOLS (Incumbent) is a candidate for County Auditor, subject to decision of Republican county convention.

CORONER

E. HENDERSON, M. D., Pomona, Cal., announces himself as a candidate for Coroner, subject to decision of the Republican county convention.

Bargains in Harness and Horse Goods

In order to keep business humming the dull summer months

Until Sept. 1st We Sell

$35.00 heavy breeching harness at.....	$28.00	$1.50 leather halters at.....	1.20
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$23.00 chain brace team harness at.....	18.00	$1.00 leateer halters at.....	75c
$24.00 rubber or nickle trim driving harness .	18.00	75c leather halters at.....	60c
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Local Events.

For stylish Hats see Alborn & Fallis.

Something New—Detroit Vapor Stove at C. C. Casey Company.

Table board by the week or month. Mrs. W. C. Hibsch, W. Badillo St.

For shoes at special prices go to Alborn & Fallis.

The family of G. O. Shouse are summering at Ocean Park.

Drink "Liviti" the finest distilled water manufactured. W. W. & Co.

Special prices on Hats at Alborn & Fallis's.

For Sale—Good driving mare, single or double. Geo. F. Shipway.

Second cutting loose alfalfa.
Matthews & Clutterbuck.

Mrs. W. H. Matthews and children spent the week at Santa Monica, the guest of her sister Mrs. Clarke.

The Equitable Building and Trust Company will build you a home.
J. R. Hodges, agent.

Mrs. H. S. Goff and daughter, Miss Jennie have returned from a stay at Long Beach.

Mrs. Hassheider, of Santa Ana, is the guest of her daughter Mrs. A. Nigg.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Leech, of Irwindale, on Tuesday Aug. 5, a daughter.

You can always depend on getting the best of goods at fair prices at Jeffrey's, Azusa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crouch who were in attendance at the Methodist camp meeting at Long Beach are home again.

For Sale:—Stock in the Columbia Land and Water Co. Apply to R. N. Martin.

For Rent: 6 room house with steel range, $10.00 per month. Apply to this office or Geo. Scofield, Fullerton.

Rev. S. H. Enyeart, accompanied by his wife is spending his summer vacation in Oakland and other Northern towns.

Save your horse's feet and knees by having them shod with rubber shoes by J. N. Wilson. Shop next to Covina Pharmacy.

W. R. Barbour, our fellow townsman has been honored by the Socialist party by being nominated for the office of County Tax Collector.

If you want to buy ANYTHING or if you have ANYTHING to sell or exchange see Matthews & Clutterbuck, Commission Agents, Covina.

We have two drop-head White sewing machines we will sell at $25 each if taken during this month.
Jeffrey, Azusa.

Round trip rates on the Southern Pacific to the beaches $1.20, good going Saturday on the 3:46 or 5:52 p.m. trains and on any train on Sunday. Good to return Monday.

J. H. Brubaker and wife, Harve Brubaker and Miss Etta Dawson left Wednesday on a camping trip to Bear Valley. They expect to be absent one month.

Why do you buy cheap, inferior grades of coffee when for 25c you can get a splendid value from Warner, Whitsel & Co? We depend on large sales for our profit rather than the margin on each pound. Ask your neighbors about it; they all use it and are satisfied.

Among the Covina young people who will attend Berkeley this year for the first time are Miss Rea Elliott, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Elliott, Miss Ada Blanchard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard, and Walter Finch, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Finch. They are all graduates of the Covina High School. They leave Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Mason, and son Hilliard, left on Wednesday for a week's stay at Redondo. They will be joined there by a party of relatives consisting of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Nealy, of El Cajon, Mrs. Nealy and daughter Gertrude, of Monrovia. Mr. Mason is an ardent fisherman and prefers Redondo on this account to any of the other beaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dudderar returned on Saturday from a two month's camping trip to the Yosemite Valley. They drove the entire way, visiting all points of interest, going by way of the San Joaquin Valley and returning along the coast. They were much pleased with the general prosperity manifested in the Santa Clara Valley, but for building operation they saw nothing on their entire trip which began to compare with Los Angeles at the present time. As to the Yosemite their verdict is that words are inadequate to describe the wonders of the forest and the beauties of the valley.

A Strong Team

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W. L. Douglass $3.50

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Walk Over $3.50

Stronghold Shoes $2.00

THERE MAY BE better shoes than those we sell, if so we don't know where to find them. If you do come and tell us and we will get them.

Progress is our aim, to serve you best our ambition. Not large gains but small ones and often. This store we shall aim to make a famous trading place. Why not help us?

If we are wrong criticise, if right speak well of us.

Every penny spent with us helps build Covina.

A dozen new stores here, each investing $1500 would increase property 25 per cent.

You will get them if you can show that Covina can support them.

Charity is not what we are after, its business, business on a business basis.

Monday

50 Ladies' Muslin and Cambric Night-gowns well worth 75c and $1.00 ..... 50c

Tuesday

10 pieces English long cloth fine and soft 15c value 10c

Wednesday

5 pieces 8 1-3c Indian Linen at 5c

BROADWELL, COVINA'S LARGEST STORE

Born on Friday, August 8, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Nigg, a son.

For Pants at special prices go to Alborn & Fallis.

Builders' supplies at Webb's the Hardwareman.

Buy your enamel plates for camping of Webb.

For Ribbons at clearance sale prices go to Alborn & Fallis.

I offer bargains in seed potatoes. Buy them while you can. E. G. Zug.

Try a "Picnic Ham" 12½c per lb.
Warner, Whitsel & Co.

Mesh wire for chicken corrals. The very best at Webb's the Hardwareman.

See C. C. Casey Company for a Sampson Windmill.

Your neighbor trades at Jeffrey's Azusa. Perhaps you too can save money by doing so.

Go to Bell & Ostrander for your jelly glasses—you can also use them as tumblers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Zug returned yesterday from a pleasant stay at Long Beach.

Capt. Ed Brooks, of San Francisco, is the guest this week of Mrs. H. S. Goff and daughter, Miss Jennie.

Mrs. Geo. L. Webb will spend the coming week at the beaches. Her Millinery Parlors will be closed during her absence.

Bruce Graham, the popular young assistant at the First National Bank, leaves Sunday week for San Francisco on a two weeks vacation.

A party of local Oddfellows consisting of Louis Mehnert, Geo. Jeffrey, Jasper Baker and John Knoll drove to Santa Ana on Saturday and attended lodge in that thriving city. They remained over Sunday as the guests of the Santa Ana Lodge.

Sixty-nine acres of the Thompson estate has been sold this week. The east 20 acres on Azusa Ave. has been purchased by S. C. Headley. The home place of 9 acres has been sold to Elmer Thomason. J. W. Groover and Geo. Keller have each purchased 10 acres adjoining the Headley piece. Dr. Thurpe, of Los Angeles, 20 acres east of the Lower Azusa school house.

The Southern Pacific in connection with the short line recently inaugurated by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway have the quickest and shortest line East, time of hours faster to Kansas City than all others. No grades, no high altitudes therefore fast time. When in a hurry go via El Paso new line. For scenery take the Southern Pacific via San Francisco and Ogden. G. P. Barnett,
Agent.

W. D. Middleton, of Charter Oak, has purchased an interest in the bicycle business of C. G. Coleman. Mr. Middleton is well known in this community as a young man of sterling integrity and business foresight and his connection with the firm is sure to add to its already extensive business. He is a thorough mechanic and skilled workman. The firm proposes to make numerous additions to their plant and will be in a position to manufacture wheels and do all kinds of repairing on the shortest notice. The shop will be closed Sundays.

Soft drinks and ice cream at Rowells.

For Muslin at clearance sale go to Alborn & Fallis.

Special prices on shirts. Alborn & Fallis.

Laces at clearrnce sale prices.
Alborn & Fallis.

Some fine young Jersey heifers for sale. Apply at Hollenbeck ranch.

Mrs. William Ritchie and son are spending a month at Long Beach.

E. P. Warner, wife, and child left Monday on a trip to Bear Valley.

Table board by the day or week at Mrs. Aholtz' first door west of library.

B. L. King and family have returned from a lengthy stay at Long Beach.

City Clerk Hodges and family left on Thursday morning for a sojourn at Santa Monica during the heated season.

G. Danielson, who for the past six years has been a trusted employee on the W. G. Kerckhoff ranch, left on Thursday for San Francisco to reside.

The Junior C. E. Society of the Christian Church entertained the Seniors at the home of Miss Aholtz Tuesday evening. After an enjoyable season of music and games light refreshments were served.

FOR SALE:—My 20 acre orange grove on Cienega and Glendora avenues, about 1½ miles northeast of S. P. depot, Covina. Two-thirds navels, one-third valencias. A bargain for someone. D. J. Carpenter,
San Bernardino, Cal.

A number of our citizens have taken advantage this week of the 30 day excursion rates to San Diego. Among them are Mrs. G. D. Jennings and mother, Mrs Plant, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thorne and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Pollard, Miss Dema Reece, and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McCormick.

Watch for a Chill.

However slight at this time of year and in this climate, it is the forerunner of malaria. A disposition to yawn and an all tried out feeling even comes before the chill. Herbine, by its prompt stimulative action on the liver drives the malarial germs out of the system, purifies the blood, tones up the system and restores health. 50c at Clapp's.

A Worm Killer.

J. A. J. Montgomery, Puxico, writes: "I have little twin girls, who have been bothered with worms all their lives. I tried everything to relieve them which failed until I used White's Cream Vermifuge; the first two doses brought four worms from one of them, the next two doses twelve, one of them measuring twelve inches; the other child was only relieved of four worms. It is a most excellent medicine." White's Cream Vermifuge is good for children. It not only destroys worms, it helps the child to perfect growth, wards off sickness. 25c at Clapp's.

Quick relief for Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.

A YOUNG LADY'S LIFE SAVED.

At Panama, Colombia, by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Dr. Chas. H. Utter, a prominent physician of Panama, Columbia, in a recent letter states: "Last March I had as a patient a young lady sixteen years of age, who had a very bad attact of dysentary. Everything I prescribed for her proved ineffectual and she was growing worse every hour. Her parents were sure she would die. She had become so weak that she could not turn over in bed. What to do at this critical moment was a study for me, but I thought of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and as a last resort prescribed it The most wonderful result was effected. Within eight hours she was feeling much better; inside of three days she was upon her feet and at the end of one week was entirely well." For sale by C. F. Clapp.

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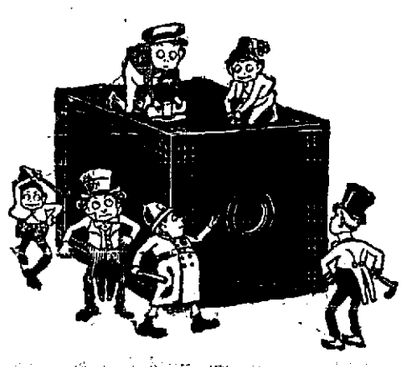

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Don't believe all the good things you hear of yourself.

An earthquake insurance company could do a lively business these days.

Sometimes a man's sins find him out—but he is more apt to be found out by his wife.

Joseph Jefferson has played "Rip Van Winkle" more than 4,000 times. Playing it must seem like work now.

Samuel L. Clemens, LL. D., is the way to write it now. The gentleman, however, will continue to answer to Mark Twain.

Mrs. Laura Dainty Pelham thinks ragtime is to be the salvation of American music. But is American music worth saving under such a condition?

It is alleged that Simon Sam stole $8,000,000 from the people of Hayti before he departed. Sime ought to be made an honorary member of the Absconding Cashiers' Club.

When you consider the number of mosquitoes who will never get a bite of human gore, the contemplation of this tragedy of frustrated hopes and aspirations becomes painful.

Probably President Harriman is right in saying that "railroads should not be governed by men who know nothing about the business." Only public affairs should be thus administered.

A notable tribute to the high courtesy of the late Lord Dufferin comes from an Italian lady who had asked an English friend to get some information for her. An apology for delaying the matter was met with the gracious and significant response: "Never would I think a countrywoman of Lord Dufferin could be rude!"

One of the telephone girls in an Oregon city has recently married a wealthy banker of that place, and gone abroad on a wedding trip. The banker was first attracted to the young woman by her gentle voice in calling "number," through the telephone. One is reminded that the heroine of Dr. Holmes' "Over the Teacups" had no name. As "Number Five" only she became endeared to readers, and her principal characteristic was a low, rich, well-modulated voice.

The railroads of this country are divided into five great systems, viz: The Vanderbilt, the Pennsylvania, the Morgan-Hill, the Gould and the Harriman, writes Charles A. Prouty, member of the Interstate Commerce Commission. These five systems, together with the Atchison, the Rock Island and the St. Paul, control about 185,000 miles of road. There are 200,000 miles of railroad in the United States, but the other 65,000 miles begin nowhere and end nowhere and are absolutely dependent on the five great systems. When five men can sit around a table and say that rates shall be so and so, and if at the end of the year this thing does not pan out as we think it ought to, we will make it right, you have a pooling arrangement that cannot be reached by any law.

The reports of consuls in various parts of Germany to the effect that American goods are being closely copied by German manufacturers indicate in one way the fierceness of the competition that is to be encountered in foreign markets from now on. A year ago it was reported that in various cities of Germany goods of home manufacture were offered for sale with the false and misleading placard "made in America" attached to them. While this is likely to hamper the growth of American trade in European markets, it is nevertheless a compliment to the American artisan. Foreign markets cannot be closed to American goods so long as the American mechanic holds his supremacy. His skill, supplemented by perfected machinery which is being constantly brought into use, is bound to win the battle in the long run.

Ex-President Patton of Princeton sees danger to the life of the nation in the struggle for wealth and luxury. He does not object so much to the accumulation of wealth or to the luxury in which its possessors live as he does to the methods by which money is acquired. The desire for luxury, he says, is becoming general at the expense of the national conscience. Professors and other schoolmen are not uncommonly haunted by this fear for the welfare of society. From the seclusion of their studies they see only the struggle for wealth, without observing the effect of the strenuous life on the character of those who lead it. Because Dr. Patton's fellow-citizens pursue wealth with characteristic American concentration it does not follow that they have no other ideal than money and luxury. The idle enjoyment of wealth seems as dangerous as the race after it. Benjamin Disraeli once advised a youthful philosopher to "ponder less and act more." He might have said substantially the same thing to those who tremble for the safety of the republic at every fresh aspect of the present industrial development of society.

How humanity bows and scrapes to a sealskin sacque and diamonds! Good clothes get ready money and rags must pay cash. Tradesmen are too busy to study consciences. Mme. Humbert's scheme was a stem-winder for simplicity. She appeared in Paris with a claim to the $20,000,000 estate of R. H. Crawford. Rival claimants were also fighting. The people looked on. The fact that there was a fight proved that there was something to fight for. She was the happy possessor of Mr. Crawford's will and a vault full of valuables, she said. How were the people to know that there was no Mr. Crawford, no stocks and bonds, no valuables, no anything except a woman who possessed a smile warranted to bring ready money out of a safe, and a nerve that simply outclassed anything ever heard of in France. She borrowed! Can man refuse when the borrower drives to the bank in an outfit for a king—when the horses have pedigrees as long as their tails, and the harness is gold plated? So they let her have the money. The money lenders handed over sums aggregating $8,000,000 to $12,000,000. Mme. Humbert enjoyed life. She must have possessed an asbestos conscience, and she kept on fighting for the Crawford "millions" and talking about the bonds and stocks she possessed till a money lender demanded to see the inside of the safe in her palace. The house of cards fell. The safe was empty. Mme. Humbert departed between two days, and Paris mourns because of the greatest swindle in a century. Experience has a money value, but it would be hard to convince those Frenchmen who are holding the bag that theirs was worth the price.

A few years ago a man undertook to establish in various sections of the country "Don't Worry" societies. How long they endured and whether any of them still exist we do not know. There is no logical reason why their mission should not be practicable, except, perhaps, that it is so purely negative. It is not enough to pledge one's self not to worry and to remind one's neighbor continually that he must not do so. Mere negation means a vacuum. If we don't worry, what are we to do? That is a question most characteristically American. The American, of all human beings, is most impatient and intolerant of vacuums, from an empty stomach to an empty mind. If the American doesn't worry, he or she must have something else to do. Our advice would be: Discard the negative maxim, for no one yet ever ceased to worry by forming a resolution to that effect. Substitute for it the positive self-command: "Be cheerful." Religion used always to have a gloomy tinge. Consolation was offered the ailing spirit, but it was more than offset with menace and dread. The truly living religion of to-day is different. It inculcates, above all, that saving admonition. It teaches people how to be cheerful. If it doesn't do that it is worth nothing. The most attractive church is the one in which the clear light enters from above, falling alike in pure benediction upon pulpit and pew. The most efficacious religion is one that lifts from the groveling fears of the flesh and the finite mind. Sometimes a very simple and unpretentious example of the fruits of cheerfulness is found in ordinary life. Cheerful old age in itself is the best eulogy of years well spent. You may be sure that it is never the sequence of the opposite history. There is fictitious cheerfulness, and the real cheerfulness, that of the heart and the tranquil conscience. No healthy cheerfulness comes without work or its equivalent, which may be generally defined as useful endeavor. In its due proportion, it is the sweetening of life, which without it has no honest relish. Cheerfulness is a positive duty. No negative one can take its place. To be cheerful is not necessarily to be unselfish. It is often to be selfish in the exalted and altogether commendable sense: to be one's best self and therefore happiest and most beneficent to others.

DRUGLESS CURE.

Husband's Announcement of His Intentions Worked Wonders.

"John, dear," feebly called the invalid wife, who was supposed to be nearing the end of her earthly career.

"Yes, darling," answered the sorrowing husband. "What is it?"

"When I am gone," she said, "I feel that for the sake of the motherless little ones you should marry again."

"Do you really think it would be best, darling?" asked the faithful John.

"Yes, John, I really do," replied the invalid. "After a reasonable length of time you should seek the companionship of some good woman."

"Do you know, my dear," said the husband, "that you have lifted a great burden from my mind? Now, there is that charming Widow Simkins across the way; she has acted rather friendly toward me ever since you were taken ill. Of course, dear, she could never fill your place; but she is young, plump and pretty, and I'm sure she would do her best to lessen my grief."

"John Henry Jenkins!" exclaimed the female whose days were supposed to be numbered, as she partly raised herself up on the pillow, "if you ever dare install that red-headed, freckle-faced, squint-eyed hussey in my shoes I'll—I'll——" And then she fainted.

But the next day Mrs. Jenkins was able to sit up and two days later she was downstairs.—Chicago News.

Fishin' Time.

Now Nature calls her children
Where speckled beauties gleam;
So the teacher wallops Johnny,
Because Johnny whips the stream.
—Exchange.

What has become of the old-fashioned man who referred to raspberries as "rawsberries?"

It is a deplorable fact that a girl can never get her first kiss but once.

LIGHTNING AT BUTTE

HEAVENS AFLAME FOR AN HOUR —ONE MAN KILLED

Train Ran Into a Cow—Burglar and Murderer Found Guilty—Large Shipments of Wheat to South Africa—Promotions must be Made on Merit—Record Breaking Wheat Crop

William Anderson, a line repairer for the Reno Power and Light company, was electrocuted Thursday afternoon. This is the fourth man in the employ of the company killed within eight months.

Surveys are completed, rights of way secured through Tombstone townsite, and grading has begun on the branch of the El Paso and Southwestern Railroad, to be run from Fairbank to Tombstone, Ariz.

A special to the Portland Oregonian from Union, Or., says the planing mill of J. M. Hirsch and the lumber yard of Ira Messenger were destroyed by fire Thursday. The loss is $35,000. Hirsch was badly burned about the back.

Prof. G. W. Sham, of the University of California, who has just returned from a trip through the southern part of the state, where he went to inspect the beet-sugar industry, says that the crop of beets this year will break all previous records.

A study of Sutter county vineyards shows that last week's excessive hot spell inflicted great injury upon grapes. Reports received thus far deal only with the Thompson seedless and table varieties. Many growers place the loss as high as 50 per cent.

Highbinder Chun Kong was hanged at San Quentin Friday for the murder of another Chinese in San Francisco. The murderer was a notorious hatchet man, who shot his victim to death. Strenuous efforts were made to delay his execution, but without avail.

Charles Wardrip has been found guilty of murder in the first degree for the killing of Hugh Duffy in Sacramento on the night of February 17 last. Wardrip was a burglar. He was caught by Duffy burglarizing a neighbor's house, when Wardrip shot him down.

Collector of Port Stratton of San Francisco has received a circular letter from the department at Washington announing that promotions in the service henceforth must be made on merit only, and not brought about through the efforts of persons of influence.

The residence of Mrs. Walter S. Hobart at San Mateo was burglarized at an early hour Thursday morning. Gold and silver ornaments and other articles to the value of $1000 were taken by the marauder, who made his escape through a window, just as a maid, who had been disturbed by the noise, made her appearance. The detectives have made no arrests.

The north-bound Canadian Pacific passenger train leaving Seattle at 8:15 Wednesday morning ran into a cow on the track near Yesler and was badly wrecked. The engine was overturned and three of the coaches derailed. The engineer and fireman sustained serious injuries. All of the passengers were badly shaken up. It will be several hours before the wreckage can be cleared.

County Attorney M. H. Jessup of Terry county, Wash., acting for the state, has started a suit at Republic, Wash., to confiscate all the property in that state of the Nettle Valley lines, which run from Grand Forks, B. C., to Republic, on the ground that a majority of stock is held by aliens. There are about forty miles of road in Washington, and with equipments is valued at $750,000.

The new torpedo boat Grampus, one of the two tiny fighting craft ordered from the Union Iron Works by the United States navy was successfully launched at San Francisco Thursday night. The Grampus was manned with a crew for the descent, and red fire was burned from her turret. Thousands of people witnessed the launching. The new fighting craft will ride but eighteen inches out of the water.

The shipments of wheat (flour included) from the Pacific Northwest to South Africa since January, show a total of over two million bushels. This is more than double the amount ever shipped before in an entire season, and there is enough tonnage still under charter to load at Portland and Puget Sound ports for the Cape to bring the total by the end of the calendar year up to approximately 3,000,000 bushels.

The injury done by grasshoppers around Marysville did not end with the disappearance of the pest. Down about Winters and in the foothill sections attacked by hoppers an investigation shows the trees and vines whose foilage was eaten suffered seriously from the recent hot spell. Fortunately, the hopper operated in widely separated parts, and the vineyards and orchards between were left in better shape to stand the heat.

According to Prof. E. W. Hilgard, Dean of the Agricultural Department at the State University, the extreme humidity of the weather in the San Joaquin valley this summer has been due to the extensive irrigation which is in vogue. He says that the noticeable change in the climate during the past few years, from a dry atmosphere to a humid one, is due to the unnatural presence of great quantities of water on the farms in the valley.

Lightning at Butte

[illegible] most remarkable display of [illegible] ever seen in the Rocky [illegible] in country prevailed over Butte [illegible] hour Thursday morning, between [illegible] and 5 o'clock. The heavens [illegible] the continuous sheet of flame, [illegible] scarcely an intermission, and [illegible]sands of people were aroused from their slumbers by the brightness of the strange phenomenon. Nearly everything became more or less charged with electricity, and many people were injured by coming in contact with articles connected with the electric light and telephone wires, even several hours after the electric display had ceased.

Alfred E. Rhodes of Aurora, Ill., an employe of the Cudahy Packing Co. in Butte, was killed at 8 o'clock in the morning by an electric shock that came from a stack of meat in a refrigerator car. When he first entered the car he received a violent shock by touching a piece of timber. He was dragged out by a fellow employe, and after great difficulty his life was saved.

A short time later he went back in the car to resume his work, and touched a pile of meat and was instantly killed. Coroner Johnson, while investigating the accident touched another pile of meat and was nearly killed. He remained unconsious for an hour.

A dozen or more people in different parts of the city received severe shocks.

TEN MILLIONS BEHIND IT

San Francisco Syndicate Has Huge Reclamation Scheme Afoot

A syndicate of San Francisco capitalists has been formed for the purpose of reclaiming large tracts of land in Solano, Yolo, Colusa, and Butte counties. The syndicate is ready and willing to advance the necessary money for the contemplated reclamation, provided it can secure options on not less than three hundred thousand acres of swamp land at reasonable prices in the tule basin of the Sacramento valley. In that event $10,000,000 will be expended in the work of reclamation which will include construction of drainage canals, a railroad and other necessary appurtenances.

The principal canal will follow the trough of the tule land from some point in the northern part of Colusa county to tidewater in Solano county, and if possible it will be so constructed as to be navigable. On the bank of the canal a railroad will be constructed with branch lines extending to Nevada county, and Clear Lake. If successful in securing the options on the land the enterprise will be completed in five years.

Two More Taken

Two more of the robbers who held up a Mexican Central train and secured $50,000 from the Wells-Fargo express have been captured at Gomez Palacio, and nearly $30,000 has been recovered. The first robber to be caught has been fully identified as "Bill Taylor," who held up a Santa Fe Pacific train and killed two men. He was sentenced to death for that crime, but escaped to Mexico. Fifteen thousand dollars of the booty secured in the recent robbery was recovered from Taylor.

Hundred Miners in Burning Mine

An explosion, resulting in heavy loss of life, has occurred at the Mount Kimble colliery, at Wollongong, a port forty miles from Sydney, N. S. W.

Twenty-seven bodies have been recovered. The buildings at the mouth of the pit were wrecked. One hundred and forty-nine miners were rescued, but a hundred are still entombed. It is feared that their release is hopless. A portion of the colliery is on fire.

A QUICK-WITTED BOY

Bitten by Rattlesnake He Took Measures That Saved His Life

Ray Barnett, a lad of thirteen, saved his life Friday morning, after being bitten by a rattlesnake in the Curran brickyards near Bakersfield, where he was working.

The serpent was coiled among some bricks in the shade of a tree and was in the act of striking when Barnett laid his hand on the brick. Barnett heard or saw nothing until he felt a sharp pain in his right hand and then came a rattle. Not the least unnerved at the sudden attack he realized that something must be done, and that quickly. Without a moment's hesitation he put his lips to the wound and sucked out the poison. He then got a heavy piece of string and tying it around the base of the third finger, which had received the sting, he ran to Kern, sucking out the poison in the finger as he ran. The first place at which he stopped was a saloon and he was given six ounces of whiskey. He then hurried on to Dr. Kellogg's where the wound was dressed.

When the finger was examined it was found to be cold and that the string had stopped the circulation of the blood. The venom had all been sucked out and, according to a statement made by Doctors Kellogg and Taggart, it is believed that no bad effects will result. Further than being under the influence of the whiskey taken, the lad was not considered to be any the worse for his experience with the rattler.—Herald.

Citrus Fruits in the East

Lemons are cheaper in New York this summer than they have been at this season in years. Usually during the summer months of June, July and August the price goes up and the consummer frequently has to pay as much as 5 cents for a sound lemon. So far this summer it has been easy to buy three lemons anywhere for the same amount, while many of the stand men, push-cart venders and other peddlers have sold exellent fruit at 10 cents per dozen. The California lemon crop was this year largely a failure, and firms who make a business of importing Sicily fruit, consequently thought they saw a much better opportunity for selling foreign-grown fruit than for years previous.

During the past month, up to this time, the total lemon receipts at the port of New York have been 292,500 boxes, or nearly 80,000 boxes more than were received there during the corresponding period last year.

A generally quiet interest prevails in New York for principal articles on the list of green fruits. On spot fruits the situation remains fairly steady, with prices in good jobbing request. Occasional business for export account is heard of, but so far as can be learned no important movement.

In the past week Bartlett pears have been coming from California in large quantities at from $1.65 to $2 per box of fifty pounds. The light-colored apples known as Alexanders, also from California, are now plentiful, and very cheap, selling at from 55 to 85 cents per box of thirty-five pounds.

As to other small fruits, the season for cherries and berries is nearly ended.

California shipments of cantaloupe have been of fine quality, costing from $5 to $6 per crate of forty-five melons.

California plums have been a constantly-growing feature of the fruit market in the last few years, and this season's supplies are so large that the market is glutted with them.

Warner Ranch Indians

The report on the Warner ranch Indians has reached the interior department, but on account of the absence of Secretary Hitchcock it is said that nothing will be done, and the report will not be made public until September. According to the views of the officials of the Indian department, there is no occasion for urgency. It is not believed that the owners of the ranch will object to the Indians remaining for a couple of months more while the department officials take their annual vacations.

Asks for Franchise

W. J. Rogers of San Jose has petitioned the supervisers for a franchise for an electric road from Watsonville to Camp Goodall. This is the first step toward a steamship service to be inaugurated between Camp Goodall and San Francisco for the benefit of the fruit growers of Pajaro Valley.

Fishing Boat Run Down

The steamer T. J. Potter ran down a fishing boat containing two men near Astoria, and H. Henry was drowned. The fishing boat had no lights, and it is claimed the fishermen were asleep. When the steamer struck the boat the men jumped overboard. John Wilson was rescued, but Henry could not be found.

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Leave Azusa	5:31	7:00	7:25	9:06	12:25	1:21	4:28
Ar. in Los Angeles	6:30	8:00	8:25	10:08	1:25	2:10	5:50

FROM LOS ANGELES—

STATIONS	No. 8 Overland	No. 42 Local Daily	No. 46 Daily ex-S	No. 44 Local Daily	No. 48 Local Daily	No. 4 Limited	No. 2 Overland
	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Leave Los Angeles	7:30	8:30	10.50	4:30	5:30	6:10	3:00
Arrive in Azusa	8:25	9:30	11:50	5:25	6:30	7:03	9:02

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TWO HUNDRED ARE SLAIN

REVOLUTIONISTS MAKE ATTACK ON AGUA DULCE

Sleepy Watchmen Cause Fire—Will not Withdraw Rrussian Troops--Tallyho Struck by Trolley Car—Ex-Queen Must Pay Income Tax on her Allowance—Coinage for July

Fifteen persons were injured in Denver on a tallyho coach which was struck by a trolley car and overturned. The accident occurred at the corner of Alameda and Pearl streets.

In a dispatch from St. Petersburg, the correspondent of the London Daily Mail says the order for the withdrawal of Russian troops from Manchuria has been recinded as that country is over run with Chinese robber bands.

David Watt and I. P. Miller, night watchmen, went to sleep on duty Tuesday night at the Stoner Wall Paper company's building in South Des Moines. The building caught fire, Watt lost his life, Miller was fatally hurt and $50,000 damage was caused.

A ruling has just been made by the Attorney-General of Hawaii to the effect that ex-Queen Liliuokalani must pay the income tax on her annual allowance of $7500 from the Territory. The provision for this allowance was made by the last legislature. The tax amounts to $150.

Emperor William has pardoned Lieut. Hildebrand, under sentence of two years' imprisonment in a fortress for killling Lieut. Blaskowitz in a duel last November. The affair attracted international attention because Blaskowitz was shot and killed on the morning of the day set for his wedding.

Two Hundred are Slain

The peace commissioners who left Panama July 29 on the British steamer Cana to visit the revolutionary general, Herrara, near Agua Dulce, returned to Panama at noon Friday. They informed the Associated Press that they were unable to fulfill their mission because of a very severe engagement between Herrara's forces and the government troops that had been in progress since Tuesday, July 29, when the revolutionary forces began to attack Agua Dulce.

At 5 o'clock Tuesday morning the best battalions of the revolutionary forces attacked the government entrenchment with fierce courage. The slaughter of the revolutionists is said to have been excessive and barbarous. The same afternoon a white flag was raised in their camp and they asked for an armistice, during which they could bury their dead. This was granted.

The losses of the rebels up to Wednesday, July 30, were reported at over 200, while the government forces had eight men killed and eleven wounded. General Moreno, one of the peace commissioners, says the entrenchments at Agua Dulce are masterpieces of military art.

At the expiration of the time of the armistice the engagement recommenced with the same fierceness. Nine government battalions which had not taken part in the fight were still being held in reserve.

General Salazar, governor of Panama, has received a letter from the government general, Morales Berti, saying he is very enthusiastic as to the outcome, and he hopes to win a battle which will decide the fate of the isthmus. General Salazar in his turn is doing everything in his power to help General Berti.

Coinage for July

The monthly coinage statements issued by the director of the mint shows that during July, 1902, the total coinage executed at the mints of the United States was $4,756,800.

FOR GOOD ROADS

Enterprise Inaugurated by the Department of Agriculture

The Great Northern Railroad company has placed at the disposal of the officers of the public road inquiry, department of agriculture, at Washington, a railroad train for the purpose of tansporting representatives of the office, engineers, road builders and road machinery to be used in practial object lessons in road building. Road conventions will be held at the cities where the train will stop.

The train will start from Chicago August 15, and will reach Minneapolis early in September, where demonstrations of road building will be given. The train will then continue westward to the Pacific coast, stopping at the principal cities en route, at each of which practical demonstrations in good road building will be given. The chief aim will be to show what can be done with such road material as can be found in the vicinity of the various cities to be visited, introlucing practical road machinery and the most approved methods of road construction.

Largest Known Tree

What is undoubtedly the largest tree in the world has been recently discovered two and a half miles from the Sanger Lumber company's mill at Converse basin, far up in the Sierras in Fresno county. The discovery was made by a party of hunters, but little credence was given the report, as every one thought the description of this colossus of the forest was exaggerated, but it has since been visited by people who have verified the finder's statement. The monster was measured six feet from the ground, and it took a line 154 feet and 8 inches long to encircle it, making it over fifty-one feet in diameter. This tree is a few rods from the company's boundary line and is on the government reserve, hence it will stand to interest sightseers and will escape the woodman's ax.

OUTLAW TRACY DEAD

Commits Suicide Wednesday Morning Rather Than Submit to Capture

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 6.—Harry Tracy, the outlaw, killed himself in a wheat field near Fellowes at 4:30 a. m. He was surrounded by a posse.

In a fight with the sheriff's posse last night Tracy was wounded in the right leg between the knee and thigh, and twenty minutes later, knowing that his capture was certain, he killed himself with a revolver. The body of the outlaw was found in a wheat field this morning.

Harry Tracy escaped from the Oregon state penitentiary at Salem on June 9 in company with Dave Merrill after killing four men, Frank W. Ferrell, G. R. T. Jones and B. F. Tiffany, guards, and Frank Ingraham, a convict, who tried to prevent his flight. Tracy killed Merrill near Napavine, Wash., June 28, shooting him from behind, and leaving his body in the forest, where it was found July 15.

Near Seattle, July 3, in a fight with a posse, Tracy shot and killed Charles Raymond, a deputy sheriff; E. E. Breeze, a policeman, and mortally wounded Nell Rawley, who died on the folllowing day, and wounded Carl Anderson and Louis Safrit, newspaper reporters.

Tracy committed many feats of daring during his flight, in the course of which he eluded various posses when apparently surrounded, and held up numerous farmers whom he forced to furnish food and clothing, and by threats of murdering their families compelled them to cover up his tracks.

Perhaps his greatest show of daring was displayed July 2 at South Bay, near Olympia, when he hled up six men and forced four of them, including Captain Clark of a gasoline launch, to embark with him on Puget Sound and pilot him down the stream for ten hours.

In 1897 Tracy murdered Valentine Hoge, a Colorado cattleman, and William Strong, a boy, in the same state. A total reward of $5600 was offered for his arrest, Governor McBride of Washington offering $2,500 for his capture, dead or alive. The state of Oregon offered $3,000, and a brother of one of the guards killed at the penitentiary offered $100. The rewards for Merril's capture amounted to $1,500, which has been claimed by Mrs. Waggoner, the berry picker, and her son, who found the body near their home.

Washington Notes

The war department has been notified of the death of Sanford G. Baker, a clerk in the insular service at Manila, who died on the 27th inst. of Asiatic cholera.

The war department has been advised of the sailing of the transport Buford from Manila, with 462 enlisted men of the Fifteenth Infantry, 104 men of the Twenty-sixth Infantry, 91 sick, 5 insane, and 61 discharged soldiers.

The war department has received a cablegram from Manila reporting the death of Second Lieutenant Albert L. Jossman, Twenty-seventh Infantry, who died of wounds received in action against the Moros at Bayan, Mindanao. *He entered the army from Michigan.*

The navy department has extended the time for the completion of the seven submarine boats authorized by the navy appropriation act of 1899 from two to seven months. This is the second extension of time granted. Five of the boats are building at Elizabethport, N. J., by the Nixon company, and the other two at the Union Iron Works, San Francisco.

Commissioner-General of Immigration Sargent has sent to immigration officials throughout the country photographs of anarchists who have been expelled from Turkey, and who are believed to be on their way to this country. Accompanying the photographs from the commissioner were instructions for immigration officials to investigate the charges against the anarchists, and if they were correct to return the men.

The Interior Department has been notified that the supplemental treaty with the Creek Indians of Indian Territory, ratified by Congress June 30 last, was ratified by the Creek Indian council July 26. The supplementa treaty modifies the original treaty in some minor respects as to allotments and enrollments, and makes illegal, unless approved by the Secretary of the Interior, all leases of land for grazing purposes for more than a year, and leases for agricultural and mineral purposes covering more than five years.

The bureau of steam engineering of the navy department, which has been experimenting at the Washington navy yard for some time with fuel oil, has found that the tests with low-pressure air for spraying purposes have been quite satisfactory. Many complex problems, however, must be solved before it will be possible to determine to what extent fuel oil can be used in the navy. If the contemplated experiments with the small torpedo boats are successful, further experiments will be made with a torpedo destroyer, but beyond this no plans have been made.

MISSIONARIES IN DANGER

Minister Conger Informed of Killing of Native Christians

Dr. Canright, the American missionary in China has telegraphed Minister Conger that missionaries in Sze Chuen have made repeated demands on the Chinese authorities for protection without result, that massacres of native Christians and the destruction of their property continue daily and that the missionaries themselves are in imminent danger. The foreign office, however, repeated the assurances it gave Minister Conger a month ago, saving the government had the situation well in hand.

To Be Removed to Seattle

It is reported in army circles that the headquarters of the department of the Columbia are to be moved from Vancouver, Wash., to Seattle, within a few weeks. General O. B. Randall, who is in command of the department, will, therefore, have to the Puget Sound City, taking his staff with him.

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LOS ANGELES TO REDLANDS, RIVERSIDE, SAN BERNARDINO.

MILES		STATIONS	1 DAILY	10 DAILY	18 EX. SUN.	20 DAILY	22 SUN ONLY
0	Lv	Los Angeles	8 05am	2 00pm	4 25pm	5 25pm	7 35pm
.....	Lv	First Street	8 08am	.....	4 27pm	5 28pm	7 38pm
.....	Lv	Commercal Street	8 10am	.....	4 30pm	5 30pm	7 40pm
1	Lv	Naud Junction	8 12am	.....	4 32pm	5 32pm	7 42pm
4	Lv	Aurant	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10	Ar	San Gabriel	.....	.....	4 53pm	5 53pm	8 01pm
17	Ar	Bassett	.....	.....	5 05pm	5 07pm	8 18pm
24	Ar	Covina	9 01am	.....	.....	6 25pm	.....
27	Ar	Charter Oak	.....	.....	.....	F 6 31pm	.....
29	Ar	San Dimas	.....	.....	.....	6 37pm	.....
31	Ar	Lordsburg	.....	.....	.....	6 43pm	.....
34	Ar	Pomona	.....	.....	.....	6 51pm	.....
35	Lv	Pomona	9 26am	.....	.....	6 51pm	.....
39	Ar	Chino	9 35am	.....	.....	7 03pm	.....
.....	Ar	Ontario	9 50am	.....	.....	7 15pm	.....
33	Lv	Pomona	.....	.....	5 35pm	.....	8 41pm
36	Lv	Narod	.....	.....	F 5 40pm	.....	F 8 49pm
39	Ar	Ontario	9 50am	3 10pm	5 45pm	7 25pm	8 56pm
58	Ar	Colton	10 20am	3 50pm	6 16pm	7 45pm	9 26pm
58	Lv	Colton	10 24am	3 57pm	6 20pm	.....	9 30pm
64	Ar	Redlands Junction	10 34am	4 12pm	6 31pm	.....	9 41pm
67	Ar	Redlands	10 45am	4 25pm	6 40pm	.....	9 50pm
70	Ar	Crafton	11 00am	.....	6 55pm	.....	10 05pm
58	Lv	Colton	10 24am	3 55pm	6 20pm	5 53pm	.....
64	Ar	Riverside Junction	F10 41am	F 4 13pm	F 6 39pm	6 07pm	.....
65	Ar	Riverside	10 45am	4 20pm	6 45pm	6 25pm	.....
58	Lv	Colton	10 24am	3 55pm	6 20pm	F 6 31pm	.....
61	Ar	First Street Junction	10 34am	4 05pm	6 32pm	7 45pm	.....
62	Ar	San Bernardino	10 35am	4 07pm	6 35pm	7 45pm	.....
						8 02pm	

SAN BERNARDINO, RIVERSIDE, REDLANDS TO LOS ANGELES.

MILES		STATIONS	15 Daily	17 Daily	9 Daily	19 Daily	
0	Lv	San Bernardino	6 25am	7 40am	8 40am	2 20pm	.....
.....	Lv	First Street Junction	F 6 27am	F 7 42am	F 8 42am	F 2 21pm	.....
4	Ar	Colton	6 36am	7 53am	8 55am	2 30pm	.....
0	Lv	Riverside	6 25am	7 35am	8 30am	2 05pm	.....
1	Lv	Riverside Junction	.....	F 7 39am	F 8 36am	F 2 10pm	.....
8	Ar	Colton	6 39am	7 55am	8 55am	2 28pm	.....
0	Lv	Crafton	.....	7 25am	.....	2 00pm	.....
4	Lv	Redlands	.....	7 35am	8 00am	2 10pm	.....
7	Lv	Redlands Junction	.....	7 44am	8 45am	2 19pm	.....
12	Ar	Colton	.....	7 55am	8 55am	2 30pm	.....
12	Lv	Colton	6 42am	8 00am	9 02am	2 35pm	.....
.....	Ar	Ontario	7 07am	8 29am	9 32am	3 03pm	.....
.....	Lv	Ontario	7 07am	.....	.....	3 03pm	.....
.....	Lv	Chino	7 16am	.....	.....	3 12pm	.....
.....	Ar	Pomona	7 28am	.....	.....	3 24pm	.....
31	Lv	Ontario	.....	8 29am	9 32am	.....	.....
33	Lv	Narod	.....	F 8 32am	.....	.....	.....
37	Ar	Pomona	.....	8 38am	9 44am	.....	.....
37	Lv	Pomona	7 28am	.....	.....	3 24pm	.....
41	Lv	Lordsburg	7 37am	.....	.....	3 33pm	.....
43	Lv	San Dimas	7 40am	.....	.....	3 36pm	.....
47	Lv	Covina....Daily Ex. Sun.	7 50am	.....	.....	3 46pm	.....
54	Lv	Bassett	8 07am	9 10am	10 12am	4 03pm	.....
67	Ar	Aurant	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
69	Ar	Naud Junction	8 42am	9 42am	10 51am	4 38pm	.....
.....	Ar	Commercial St	8 45am	9 44am	.....	4 40pm	.....
.....	Ar	First Street	8 47am	9 46am	.....	4 42pm	.....
70	Ar	Los Angeles	8 50am	9 50am	11 00am	4 45pm	.....

LOS ANGELES TO SANTA ANA, W HITTIER, LOS ALAMITOS, TUSTIN.

MILES		STATIONS	4-86 DAILY	4-108 Sunday only	102 EX. Sunday	104 Ex Sunday	6-106 89 Daily	Ex. Sunday
			AM	AM	AM	PM	PM	
2	Lv	Los Angeles	8 55	8 55	9 50	2 00	5 10	.....
7	Ar	Florence	9 03	9 03	10 05	2 13	5 23	.....
13	Ar	Downey	9 20	9 20	10 15	2 25	5 34	.....
17	Ar	Norwalk	9 28	.....	.....	.....	5 44	.....
28	Ar	Anaheim	9 49	.....	.....	.....	6 06	.....
33	Ar	Orange	F 9 58	.....	.....	.....	F 6 14	.....
35	Ar	Santa Ana	10 05	.....	.....	.....	6 20	.....
21	Ar	Whittier	.....	9 40	10 35	2 45	5 55	.....
36	Ar	Los Alamitos	10 15am	Daily Except Sunday			6 30	2 35
28	Lv	Anaheim	11 37am	Daily Except Sunday				
41	Ar	Tustin	12 15pm					

TUSTIN, LOS ALAMITOS, WHITTIER, SANTA ANA TO LOS ANGELES.

MILES		STATIONS	Ex. Sunday	87-103 Ex. Sun.	109-3 Sunday only	3 Daily	105 Ex. Sun.	107 5 Daily
				AM	AM	AM	PM	PM
0	Lv	Whittier	.....	7 10	8 00	.....	12 40	4 10
0	Lv	Santa Ana	.....	.....	.....	7 40	.....	4 10
2	Lv	Orange	.....	.....	.....	F 7 44	.....	F 4 14
7	Lv	Anaheim	.....	.....	.....	7 52	.....	4 22
18	Lv	Norwalk	.....	.....	.....	8 1	.....	4 43
22	Lv	Downey	.....	7 29	8 21	8 21	12 58	4 52
28	Lv	Florence	.....	7 39	8 32	8 32	1 08	5 03
33	Ar	Los Angeles	.....	7 51	8 45	8 45	1 20	5 20
0	Lv	Tustin	Daily Except Sunday					1 30pm
12	Ar	Anaheim						2 07pm
0	Lv	Los Alamitus	Daily Except Sunday				11 10am	7 15am 3 15pm

LOS ANGELES TO LONG BEACH.

MILES		STATIONS	56 Daily	62 Daily	32 Daily	68 Sunday only	70 Sat. Night only
			AM	PM	PM	PM	PM
2	Lv	Los Angeles	9 05	1 40	5 03	8 05	11 45
24	Ar	Long Beach	9 46	2 22	5 52	8 47	12 26
24	Ar	Alamitos Beach	9 50	2 25	5 55	8 50	12 30
							AM

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LONG BEACH TO LOS ANGELES.

MILES		STATIONS	55 Daily Note II	Daily	65 Daily	67 Saturday and Sun.
			AM	AM	PM	PM
0	Lv	Alamitos Beach	7 00	10:30	4 15	6 25
.....	Lv	Long Beach	7 10	10:40	4 25	6 35
24	Ar	Los Angeles	7 58	11 25	5 15	7 20
			AM	AM	PM	PM

LOS ANGELES TO SANTA MONICA.
(READ DOWN)

MILES		STATIONS	750 Daily	170 Note II	34 Daily Note 1	44 Except Sunday
			AM	AM	PM	PM
2	Lv	Los Angeles	9 00	10 00	1 35	5 15
	Ar	Soldier's Home	9 30	.....	.....	.....
19	Ar	Santa Monica	9 45	10 35	2 06	5 50
21	Ar	Santa Monica Canyon	9 53	10 45	2 14	.....
22	Ar	Port Los Angeles	10 00	10 50	2 20	.....
			AM	AM	PM	PM

NOTE I—On Mondays and Thursdays train No. 43 waits for steamer connection and leaves Port Los Angeles at 12:30 p.m., arrives Los Angeles 1:10 p.m. On these days train No. 42 leaves Los Angeles at 2:00 p.m.
NOTE II—Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays only.

SANTA MONICA TO LOS ANGELES.
(READ UP)

MILES		STATIONS	41 Except Sunday	43 Daily Note 1	1st Note	45 Daily	47 Sunday Only
			AM	AM	PM	PM	PM
2	Ar	Los Angeles	8 02	11 20	4 15	5 10	6 09
19	Lv	Santa Monica	7 30	10 45	3 40	4 20	5 35
21	Lv	Santa Monica Canyon	.....	10 25	F 3 05	3 50	5 05
22	Lv	Port Los Angeles	.....	10 20	3 00	3 45	5 00

NOTE—Train No. 1st on Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

LOS ANGELES TO SAN PEDRO.

MILES		STATIONS	56 Daily	30 Daily	32 Daily See Note Two	68 Sunday Only	70 Sat. Night Only
			AM	PM	PM	PM	PM
2	Lv	Los Angeles	9 05	1 40	5 03	8 05	11 45
7	Ar	Florence	9 17	1 52	5 18	8 17	11 59
12	Ar	Compton	9 25	2 01	5 27	8 25	12 05am
21	Ar	Wilmington	9 45	2 20	5 48	8 43	12 23am
24	Ar	San Pedro	9 52	2 25	5 53	8 48	12 28am
24	Ar	San Pedro Wharf	9 55	F 2 30	5 55	8 50	12 30am
25	Ar	Center Street	.....	F 2 40	.....	.....	.....
26	Ar	Point Firmin	.....	2 45	.....	.....	.....

SAN PEDRO TO LOS ANGELES.

MILES		STATIONS	27 Daily	29 Daily	31 Daily	67 Sat. and Sun.
			AM	AM	PM	PM
0	Lv	Point Firmin	.....	.....	3 30	.....
1	Lv	Center Street	.....	.....	F 3 35	.....
2	Lv	San Pedro Wharf	7 05	10 35	4 20	6 30
5	Lv	San Pedro	7 07	10 37	4 22	6 32
14	Lv	Wilmington	7 13	10 42	4 28	6 38
14	Lv	Compton	7 31	11 03	4 49	F 6 59
23	Lv	Florence	7 41	11 13	5 00	7 08
24	Ar	Los Angeles	7 45	11 25	5 15	7 20

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GLENDORA.

Mr. Theodore Eckles and wife are visiting at the home of their father.

Miss Lillie Haifley is visiting at Santa Ana.

Mr. Z. Rosa and family are camping in the San Gabriel Canyon.

Frank Wamsley has gone to Astoria, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuoper and daughter, Mrs. Nichols are at Buell's Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Odell and granddaughter, Miss Verna, are at the Rincon for several weeks.

Mr. Guy Thompson, of Los Angeles, visited his mother, Mrs. Delia Thompson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sitton are at Elsinore.

Miss Lelia Boyakin is the guest of Irene Felts at Santa Monica.

Ned Leach and Miss Nellie Leach returned to their camp in the mountains this week. They were accompanied by Ernest Yerxey, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Miller are spending the week at Long Beach.

Mrs. Kimberly is visiting her brother in Santa Ana.

From Irwindale

Geo. Keller has purchased ten acres of the Thompson estate.

John Sullivan of Fresno is visiting his aunt, Mrs. McDonald.

The Misses Myrtle and Bessie Snavely are visiting relatives in Los Angeles and Santa Monica.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips of Alhambra were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and children are guests at the Coffman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robison and children are visiting in Santa Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Reichard entertained Mesdames Arthur and J. Q. Bradbury, Miss Russell and Messrs. Furgerson and Russell of Los Angeles the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Woodworth, Jr., Mesdames Hostetler and Newlan and Homer Hostetler left for Santa Monica Saturday to attend the Christian Church Convention.

The annual meeting of the Irwindale Citrus Association was held Aug. 5, in the office of the association. The board of directors elected of serve for the ensuing year are as follows: H. G. Briggs, president, and manager; M. Rebham, vice-president; A. F. Coltrin, secretary; Elmer Thomason, W. L. Kellar, D. C. Metsing and C. R. Coffman. The year just closed has been a very successful one for all interested, and the prospects for the coming year are very good.

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City Business.

The City Board of Trustees held a special meeting August 4th.

The object of the meeting was to set the amount of money to be collected from taxes for the ensuing year. After some discussion the amount was agreed upon to-wit: $2430.15. An ordinance was passed to that effect.

A resolution was passed instructing the City Clerk to notify the marshal to serve notice on all parties violating the ordinance in regard to allowing weeds to grow on sidewalks and streets adjoining private property and to enforce the provisions of the city ordinance relating thereto.

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Assessment Notice.

Covina Irrigating Company, principal place of business, Covina, Rowland Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on the 6th day of August, 1902, an assessment (No. 30) of 100 cents per share was levied on the capital stock (as increased October 22nd, 1886) of the above named corporation, payable at once to B. F. Edwards, Secretary of said corporation, at the Secretary's office at Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 9th day of September, 1902, shall be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and that unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 30th day of September, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. F. Edwards, Secretary.
Covina, Cal.

ORDINANCE No. 26.

An Ordinance Fixing the Amount of Money Necessary to be Raised by Taxation upon the Taxable Property in the City of Covina, as a Revenue to Carry on the Various Departments of said City for the Current Fiscal Year.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Covina do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the amount of money necessary to be raised upon the taxable property in the City of Covina, as a revenue to carry on the various departments of said City for the current fiscal year is hereby fixed at the sum of $2430.15.

Section 2. The City Clerk shall certify to this ordinance and cause the same to be published once in the Covina Argus, a newspaper published weekly in said City of Covina, and thereupon and thereafter it shall be in full force and effect.

Passed this 4th day of August, 1902.
E. G. CLAPP,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Covina.
(Seal)

Attest, James R. Hodges, City Clerk.

State of California, } ss
City of Covina, }

I, James R. Hodges, City Clerk of the City of Covina, do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed by the Board of Trustees of said City of Covina, and signed by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof, held August 4th, 1902, and that said ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Clapp, Finch, Moxley, Potter.
Noes: None.
Absent: Ratekin.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Covina, this 4th day of August, 1902.

(Seal) JAMES R. HODGES,
City Clerk of the City of Covina.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

The A. C. G. Lemon Association, location of principal place of business, Glendora, Los Angeles County, California:

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of The A. C. G. Lemon Association, held in the office of the corporation on the 20th day of July, 1902, an assessment of twenty-five cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable at once to E. O. Kennard, the secretary of the corporation, at Glendora, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 30th day of August, 1902, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 27th day of September, 1902, at 3 o'clock, p. m., at the office of the corporation, to pay the assessment, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

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